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THE 1955 META

MAGNA EST VERITAS ET PREVALET

"Great is Truth and it Prevails"

PEABODY HIGH SCHOOL

Peabody, Massachusetts

FOREWORD

During the preceeding four years, we members of the class of 1955 have realized the never-to-be-forgotten experiences of a democratic high school career.

Together, we have lived through the seriousness of myriad scholastic problems and the gayety of numerous social functions. Side by side, we have prepared for our venture into the world which now lies before us.

In the library, this Meta will be just another volume, -- a segment of the history of Peabody High School. But to you, who made this history, it will be a treasure chest of fond memories.

We have tried, intently, to recapture these memories; the greetings between classes, the sincere, unrewarded guidance of our teachers, the crowded lunchroom, the exciting dances, and athletic contests, and especially, that air of informality which surrounded us.

Herein lies the Meta. It is the hope of the Staff that it will long serve as a reservoir of your memorable and cherished days at P. H. S.

Dedicated to

MR. FREDERICK R. McMANUS

"TRUE worth is in being not seeming." As a teacher with superior talent, Frederick R. McManus endeared himself to the students and faculty of Peabody High School.

Serving as head of the English Department for twenty-seven years, Mr. McManus capably guided the Observer and Meta publications on the road to immeasurable success. As adviser and friend to numerous students of Peabody High School, he quietly instilled in them the principles which assure a fruitful life.

To Mr. Frederick R. McManus, a symbol of distinguished ability inspirational guidance and sincere friendship, we the Class of 1955 proudly dedicate our Meta.

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PEABODY HIGH SCHOOL

Administration

TO OUR GRADUATES

For twelve short years you have been with us, and now you go with confidence into fields of adult life.

It is our hope that we have merited the faith and confidence that your parents had in us when they entrusted your academic welfare to our care.

It is our sincere prayer that the sacrifices of your fond parents will be rewarded by your never-failing love for them and by your diligence and strength of character in all your efforts in the years to come.

May you go forth with courage and with the knowledge that genius is demanded of but a few. Success comes not from doing uncommon things but rather from doing the common things uncommonly well.

May my office always be a place of refuge and counsel to you in time of disappointments and temporary setbacks — and may we sometimes enjoy a visit from you to learn of and share with you some of your future successes.

WILLIAM A. WELCH
Superintendent of Schools.

Congratulations to the Class of 1955 as you mark the termination of the most important cycle in your progress through life! Graduation from high school signals for you the beginning of a new and challenging era in which the training received thus far must serve as a foundation and a guide. That your future progress based on an intelligent understanding of the necessity of spiritual values and the importance of those qualities of mind and heart which are the hallmarks of greatness may be one of happiness and success is the sincere wish we extend to you on the happy occasion of your graduation.

J. HENRY HIGGINS,
Assistant Superintendent of Schools

Congratulations to the Class of 1955, and my sincere thanks for the pleasure of your association during the past four years. Your class will rank high for achievement in the annals of the history of Peabody High School.

In your present exaltation you must not forget that upon you, the future generation, descends the solemn and serious responsibility of alleviating the world of the strident dissonance and harsh discord so prevalent today.

It is a serious challenge. It will require the constant utilization of your intelligence, your perseverance and, above all, your courage, which must be steadfast and predicated on ideals, which under the guidance of God will be dedicated to the welfare of your country and for the benefit of your fellow man.

May your future be rich, rewarding, and blessed with enduring health and happiness.

ARTHUR J. BARRY,

Principal

Congratulations to the Class of 1955.

Every graduating class seems to have a certain characteristic. The Class of '55 has been endowed with many — intelligence, leadership, cooperation, and spirit.

I believe that it is one of the outstanding Classes of Peabody High School. I know that the impact of this Class upon our school, will be a marked example for those that follow.

It has been a distinct pleasure to work with you. *Ave atque vale benedictio.*

TIMOTHY F. McCARTHY,

Vice-Principal

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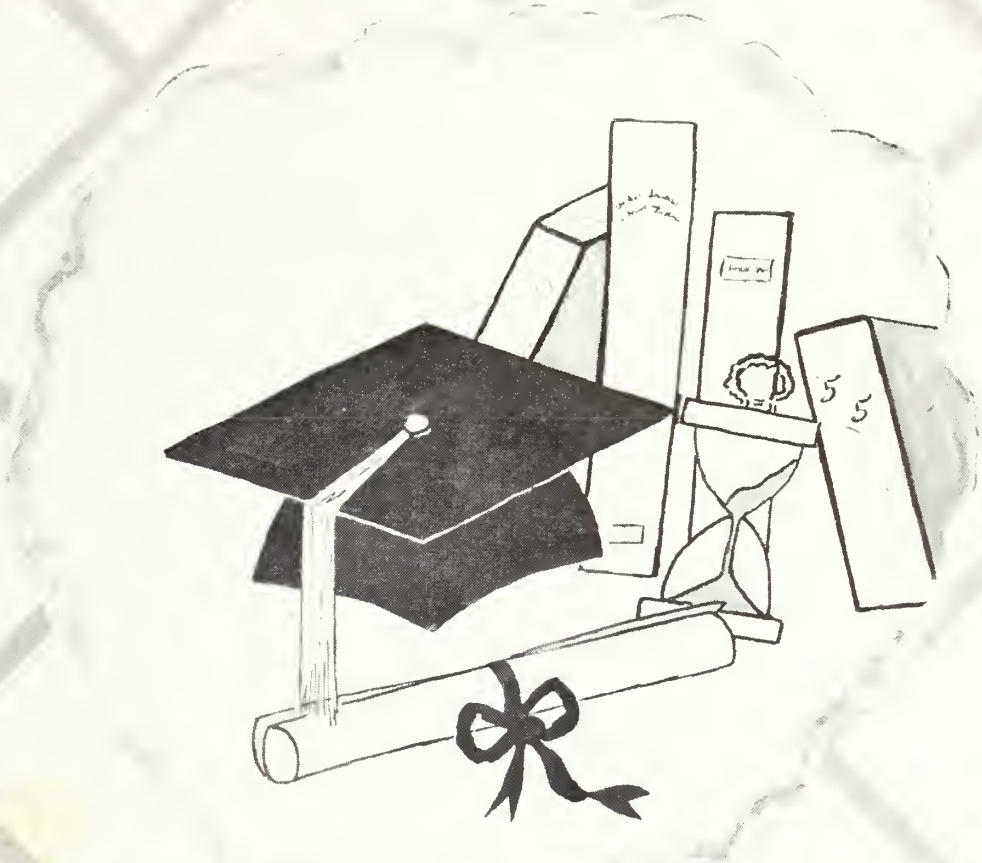
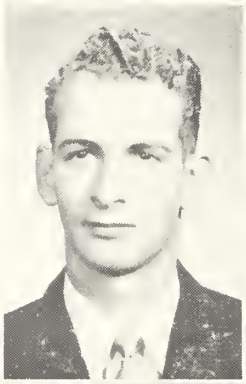


PEABODY HIGH SCHOOL

Senior Class



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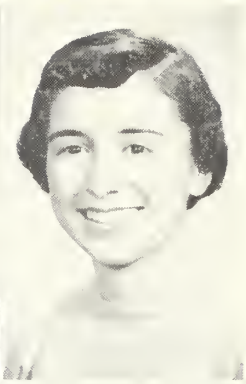
Latin Scientific Course

"Yogi" Dec. 23

Orchestra Dramatic Guild
Senior Revue Civics Club



LOIS M. AMARAL

26 Northend Street

Honor Graduate Magna Cum Laude

Commercial Course

"Lo" Nov. 4

Observer Staff Dramatic Guild
Meta Staff, Bus. Mgr. Glee Club
Student Advisory Senior Revue
Office Pagette Cheer Leader
Spanish Club Girl's Basketball
Civics Club Library Staff

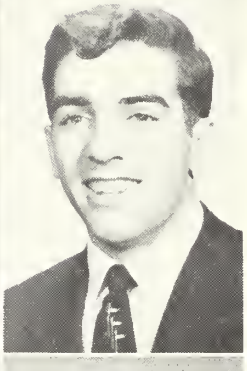
PRISCILLA J. ANDERSON

12 Summit Avenue

Commercial Course

"Red" April 22

Observer Staff Girl's Basketball
Senior Revue Spanish Club
Civics Club



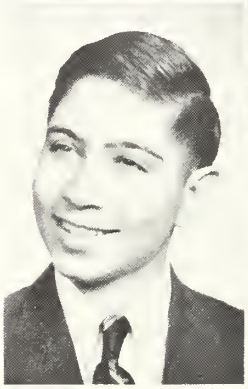
CHARLES ANGELAKIS

4 Harris Street

Technical Course

"Angel" Apr. 5

Football Senior Revue
Basketball Civics Club
Baseball Track



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8 Smidt Avenue

Latin Scientific Course

"Stewie" April 22

Band Dramatic Guild
Orchestra Civics Club

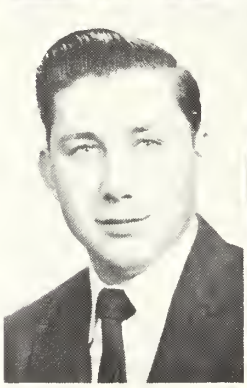
CAROL M. ATKINSON

51 Endicott Street

General Course

"Atkie" Dec. 4

Spanish Club Senior Revue
Glee Club Civics Club



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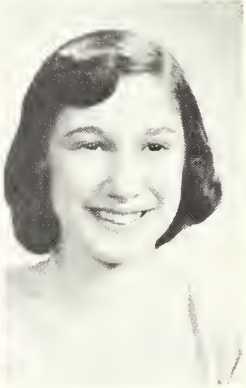
Vocational-Machine Course

"Bob" Dec. 9

Vocational Club Civics Club



SHIRLEY E. BAKER

6 King Street

General Course

"Shirl" June 28

Observer Staff Girl's Basketball
Senior Revue Civics Club

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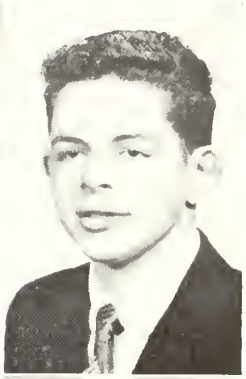
3 Jefferson Road

Commercial Course

"Rebel" Dec. 28

Senior Revue Office Pagette
Girl's Basketball



RONALD H. BELIVEAU

7 Lynn Street Court

General Course

"Ron" Sept. 8

Spanish Club Senior Revue
Civics Club

ANN G. BENDER

58 Gardner Street

Honor Graduate - Valedictorian

Latin Scientific Course

"Ann" May 21

Observer Staff, Editor Meta Staff
Student Advisory Debating Club
Spanish Club Dramatic Guild
Senior Revue Civics Club
Woman's Club

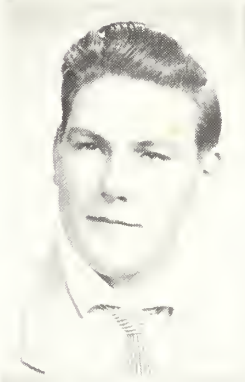
FRANK L. BETTENCOURT

7 Emmett Street

General Course

Jan. 22

Spanish Club Civics Club



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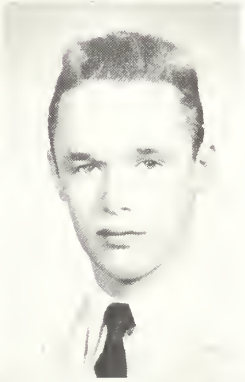
19 Andover Street

General Course

"Ted", "Ben" July 16

Golf Hockey
Senior Revue Civics Club



DONALD A. BOYCE

40 Linden Road

Technical Course

"Murray" Jan. 7

Meta Staff Hockey
Senior Revue

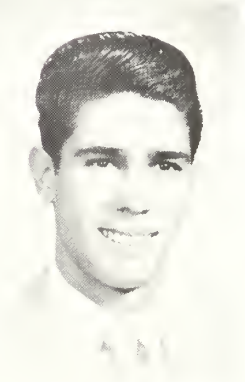
MILDRED I. BROLEWICZ

6 Spring Street Court

General Course

"Millie" June 1

Spanish Club Civics Club



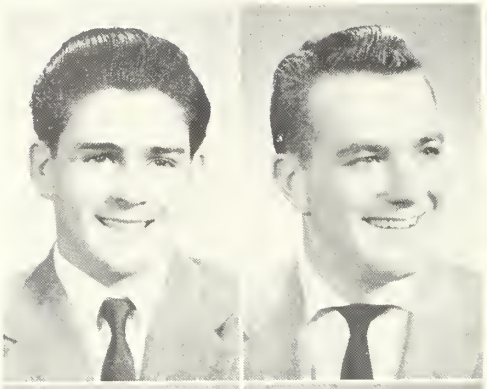
ROBERT E. BROOKS

24 Driscoll Street

Technical Course

"Bob" Mar. 7

Senior Revue Orchestra
Football



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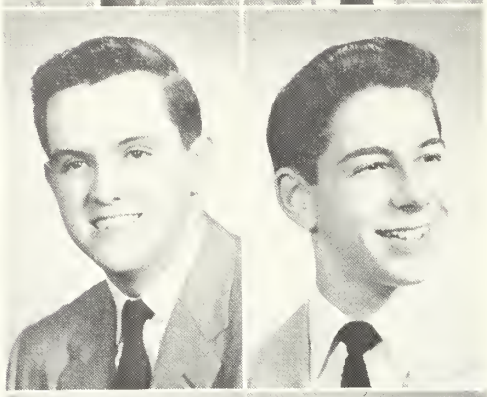
3 MacArthur Circle

General Course

"Brodie" Mar. 7

Observer Staff, Senior Revue
Meta Staff, Civics Club



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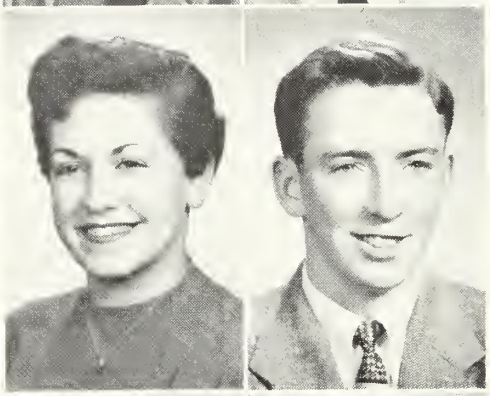
490 Lowell Street

Technical Course

"Don" June 23

Baseball, Civics Club



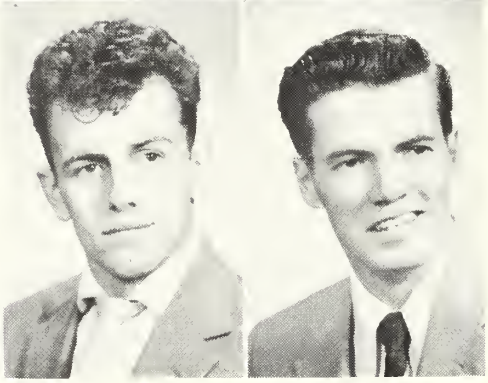
CARMELITA G. CAIRES

56 Tracey Street

Commercial Course

"Carmie" Feb. 7

Student Advisory, Cheer Leader
Spanish Club, Girl's Basketball
Senior Revue, Civics Club
Lunch Counter



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6½ Goodrich Street

General Course

"Junie" Oct. 21

Meta Staff, Football
Homeroom Rep., Baseball
Class Officer, Jr., Senior Revue
Student Advisory, Civics Club

WALTER E. BROWN

Birch Street

General Course

"Wally" Feb. 7

Football

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2 Smidt Avenue

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Technical Course

"Bob", "Cagey" Apr. 8

Observer Staff, Dramatic Guild
Art Editor, Senior Revue
Meta Staff, Civics Club
Track, Boys' State '54

LAWRENCE C. CAREY

153 Lynn Street

General Course

"Gus" Dec. 23

Senior Revue, Civics Club
Class Basketball

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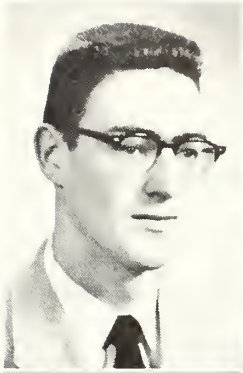
3 Carlton Street

Technical Course

"Carpo" Feb. 23

Senior Revue



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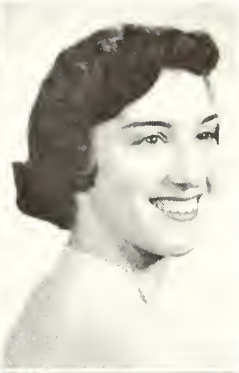
20 Aborn Street

General Course

"Bob" Dec. 18

U. S. Army Civics Club
Basketball



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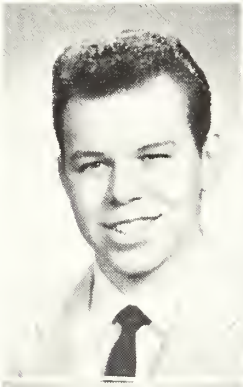
240 Andover Street

Latin Scientific Course

"Mac" Mar. 31

Observer Staff Dramatic Guild
Girl's Basketball Civics Club
D. A. R. Award



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7 Nickerson Road

General Course

"Dick" Apr. 13
Senior Revue Civics Club

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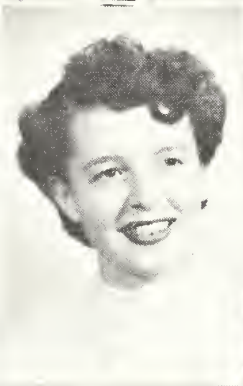
78 Endicott Street

General Course

"Cookie" Jan. 11

Spanish Club Senior Revue
Girl's Basketball Civics Club



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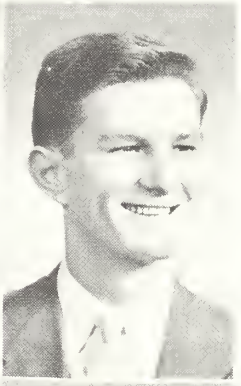
9 Mt. Pleasant Drive

Commercial Course

"Peaches" Mar. 15

Office Pagette Senior Revue
Girl's Basketball



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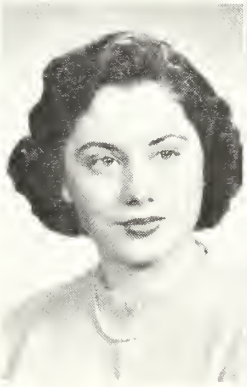
Vocational-Machine Course

Aug. 13

Vocational Club



V. ANNE CUDDIRE

53 Margin Street

Latin Scientific Course

"Anne" Apr. 7

Observer Staff, Meta Staff
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Student Advisory Senior Revue
Dramatic Guild Civics Club
Library Staff Woman's Club

PATRICIA A. CURTIN

84 Endicott Street

Honor Graduate Cum Laude

Commercial Course

"Pat" Oct. 26

Observer Staff Cheer Leader
Meta Staff Girl's Basketball
Spanish Club Debating Club
Dramatic Guild Library Club
Senior Revue Girls' State '54
Civics Club

KATHERINE J. DAKOS

24 Buxton Street

Latin Scientific Course

"Kay" May 29

Observer Staff, Meta Staff, Student Advisory, Glee Club, Dramatic Guild, Senior Revue, Library Staff, Civics Club, Lunch Counter, Woman's Club

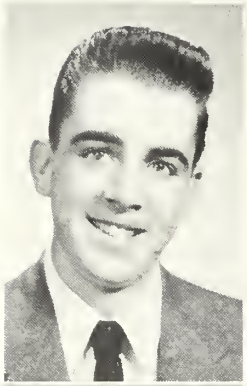
PATRICIA L. DALTON

82 Fairview Avenue

Commercial Course

"Irma" Feb. 6

Office Pagette, Senior Revue, Civics Club



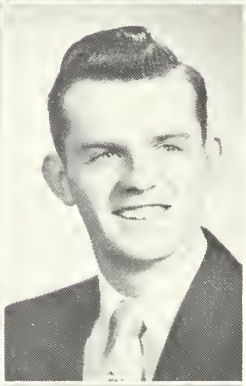
WILLIAM DANIELS

13 Dane Street

Technical Course

"Billy" Dec. 7

Senior Revue, Civics Club



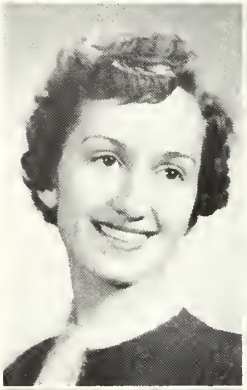
PAUL F. DAVIDSON

7 Beckett Street

General Course

"Luchy" Oct. 31

U. S. Navy, Civics Club



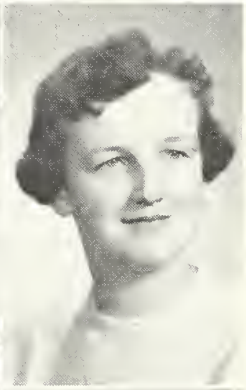
GERALDINE M. DAVIS

447 Lowell Street

General Course

"Jerry" Sept. 30

Spanish Club, Senior Revue, Glee Club, Girl's Basketball, Civics Club



GERTRUDE M. DELP

4 State Street

Commercial Course

"Gabby-Gertie" Oct. 24

Observer Staff, Meta Staff, Art Editor, Class Officer, Jr., Student Advisory, Debating Club, Spanish Club, Dramatic Guild, Senior Revue, Cheer Leader, Girl's Basketball, Lunch Counter, Civics Club Officer, Art Club, Office Pagette

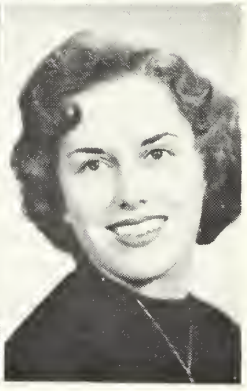
BARBARA J. DeVARENNES

232 Lynn Street

Commercial Course

"Barb" June 12

Observer Staff, Meta Staff, Homeroom Rep., Student Advisory, Debating Club, Civics Club, Spanish Club, Senior Revue, Lunch Counter, Girl's Basketball, Cheer Leader



NATALIE A. DeVARENN

232 Lynn Street

General Course

"Nat" Mar. 27

Senior Revue

MARY M. DINEEN

45½ Aborn Street

General Course

"Mary" Dec. 9

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Debating Club Dramatic Guild
Senior Revue Girl's Basketball
Civics Club

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13 Oak Avenue

General Course

"Pa Pa" Aug. 7

Senior Revue Civics Club

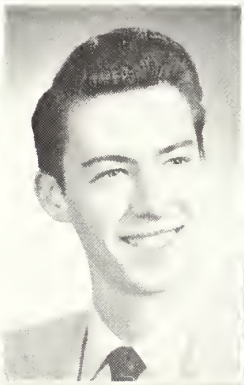
JOHN R. DOUGLAS

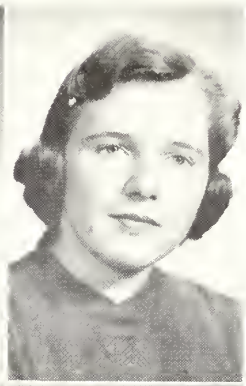
6 Wahtera Road

Vocational-Machine Course

"Doug" Dec. 17

Meta Staff Vocational Club





JANE M. DOYLE

61 Warren Ext.

Classical Course

"Jane" June 6

Observer Staff Meta Staff,
Student Advisory Editor
Senior Revue Library Staff
Civics Club Dramatic Guild
Civics Club

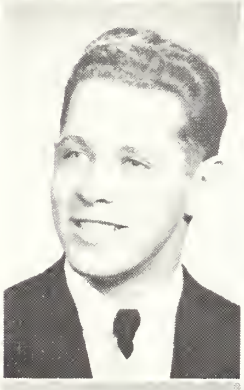
ANDREW J. DULAVITZ

27½ Jacobs Street

General Course

"Dula", "Duly" Mar. 24

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Football Track
Senior Revue Civics Club
Art Club Class Basketball



SHIRLEY A. DUNN

29 Endicott Street

General Course

"Shirl" May 26

Senior Revue

ANN MARIE DURAND

70 Margin Street

Graduate Magna Cum Laude

Classical Course

Mar. 12

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Student Advisory Debating Club
Glee Club Dramatic Guild
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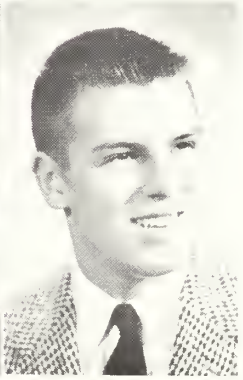
Woman's Club



RONALD E. DZIERZANOWSKI

2 Santa Ovaia Circle

Technical Course

"Leo" Sept. 18

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Hockey Senior Revue
Civics Club

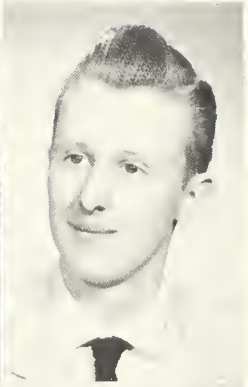
NANCY A. ELLIOTT

2 Burnham Road

General Course

"Nanny" June 14

Office Pagette Civics Club



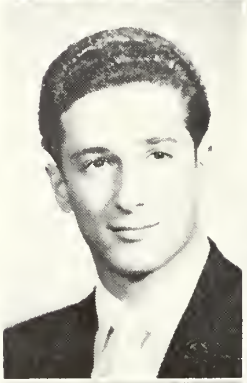
WALTER H. EMERY, JR.

8 Astor Street, Lynn, Mass.

Vocational-Automotive Course

"Em" Apr. 12

Vocational Club U. S. Navy



HARVEY ERLICH

16 Jacobs Street

General Course

"Harv" Nov. 14

Observer Staff Dramatic Guild
Civics Club

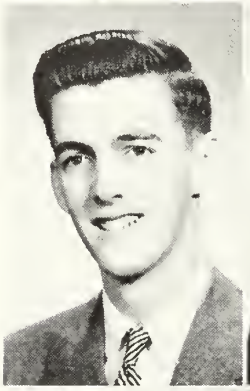
MARCIA R. ERLICH

18 Warren Street

Commercial Course

"Marsh" Nov. 3

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Debating Club Dramatic Guild
Senior Revue Library Staff
Civics Club Woman's Club
Office Pagette



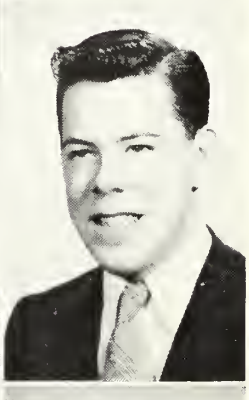
THOMAS H. EVANS, JR.

79 Bartholomew Street

Technical Course

"Harv" Oct. 31

Baseball Civics Club



ROY G. FARIA

16 Clement Avenue

Technical Course

"Bud" Oct. 25

Meta Staff Debating Club
Senior Revue Civics Club

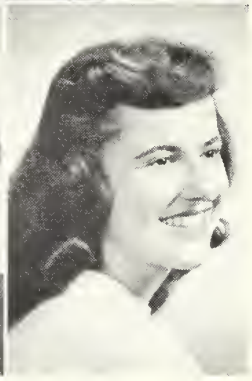
ANN L. FARLEY

13 Lenox Road

Latin Scientific Course

"Farley" June 9

Observer Staff Dramatic Guild
Meta Staff Girl's Basketball
Class Officer Sr. Senior Revue
Student Advisory Library Staff
Office Pagette Civics Club



CHRISOULA FILLIS

3 Smidt Avenue

Honor Graduate Cum La

Latin Scientific Course

"Chris" Nov. 21

Observer Staff Dramatic Guild
Meta Staff Girl's Basketball
Student Advisory Senior Revue
Office Pagette Library Staff
Debating Club Civics Club
Woman's Club

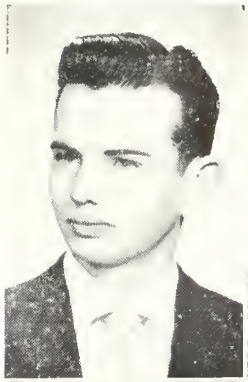
JOSEPH V. FLEMING

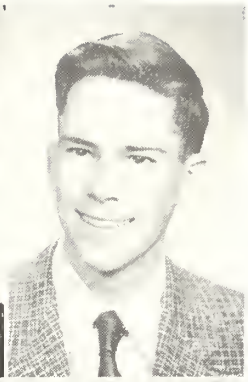
3 Walcott Street

Technical Course

"Joe" Jan. 21

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Football Basketball
Track Dramatic Guild
Senior Revue Civics Club





PETER H. FOULKES

Goodale Street

Technical Course

"Pete" May 18

Band Orchestra

Senior Revue

MARIE A. FOURNIER

4 Hill Street

General Course

Nov. 17

Glee Club Senior Revue

Girl's Basketball

ANABEA GALLO

22 Hancock Street

General Course

"Ana Bea" Oct. 17

Meta Staff Homeroom Rep.
Student Advisory Senior Revue
Debating Club Office Pagette
Dramatic Guild Girl's Basketball
Civics Club

NANCY GARZONE

8 Augustus Street

General Course

"Nan" Aug. 6

Glee Club Senior Revue

Civics Club

CONSTANCE GEANOULIS

57 Washington Street

Commercial Course

"Fish" Sept. 2

Senior Revue Pen Pal Club

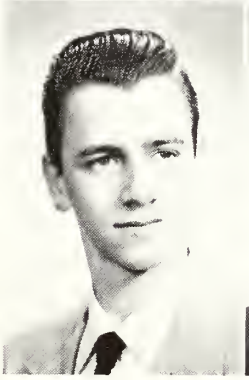
BERNARD J. GELOTTI

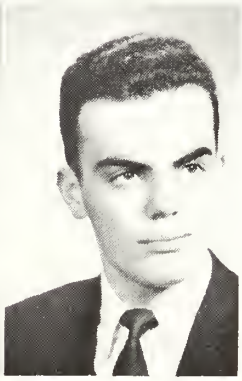
6 Pine Street

General Course

"Bernie" Nov. 20

Spanish Club





ACHILLES GEORGIOU

37 Highland Park

Honor Graduate Cum Laude

Latin Scientific Course

"Archy" Aug. 25

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Senior Revue Civics Club

ANNA M. GIBBONS

2 Margin Street

Commercial Course

"Gib" June 17

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Office Pagette Senior Revue
Library Staff Civics Club
Junior Achievement

ALBERT GIBELEY

19 Abington Avenue

Latin Scientific Course

"Gib" Aug. 26

Observer Staff Meta Staff,
Homeroom Rep. Bus. Mgr.
Football Band
Basketball Baseball
Dramatic Guild Senior Revue
Civics Club Student Advisory
Boy's State "54"

REEVA GIBLEY

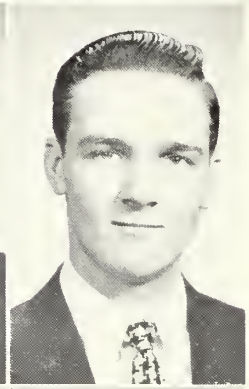
33 Abington Avenue

Honor Graduate Cum Laude

Latin Scientific Course

"Ree" May 3

Meta Staff Senior Revue
Civics Club



WILLIAM D. GLENCROSS

3 Lexington Avenue

General Course

"Bumpsy" Oct. 5

Student Advisory Spanish Club
Senior Revue Civics Club
U. S. Navy

LEONA GORDON

13 Violet Road

Honor Graduate - Salutatorian

Latin Scientific Course

"Lee" Oct. 3

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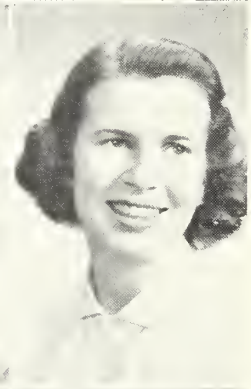
Spanish Club Dramatic Guild
Senior Revue Woman's Club
Civics Club



PATRICIA A. GREEHY

2 Goldthwaite Place

Commercial Course

"Pat" July 1

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Office Pagette Senior Revue
Girl's Basketball Library Staff
Civics Club Lunch Counter

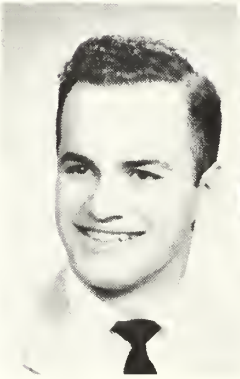
JAMES G. GREVELIS

72r Central Street

General Course

"Grev" Mar. 20

Football Baseball
Basketball Senior Revue
Civics Club



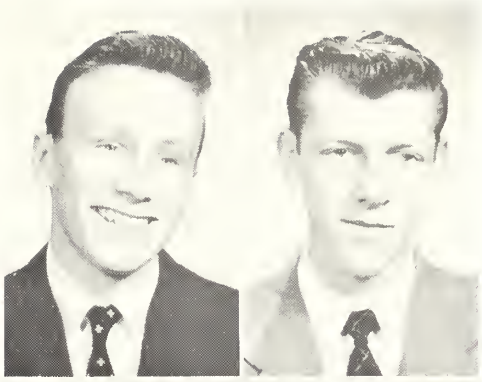
JUNE M. GRUNTKOSK

34 Veterans Memorial Drive

General Course

"Junie" June 26

Senior Revue Civics Club



DANIEL A. GUTHRIE

2 Gardner Road

General Course

"Danny" May 16

Meta Staff Senior Revue

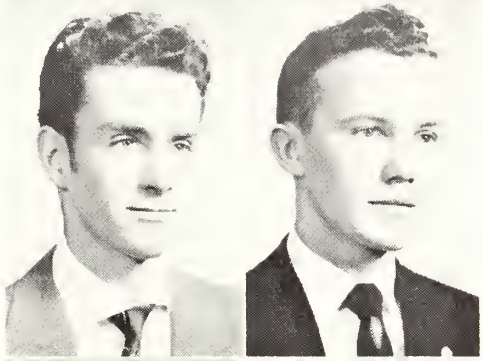
JOHN GUZOWSKI

22 Dustin Street

General Course

"John" Sept. 2

U. S. Navy Civics Club



ROBERT A. HERLIHY

9 Griffin Road

Vocational-Electrical Course

"Bob, "Hurl" Sept. 24

U. S. Navy Vocational Club
Class Basketball Civics Club
Track

LEO J. HIGGINS

25 Perkins Street

General Course

"Hig" Dec. 29

U. S. Army Observer Staff

CHARLENE JULIEN

7 Scenic Road

Commercial Course

"Shelley" Nov. 4

Senior Revue Girl's Basketball
Office Pagette Civics Club

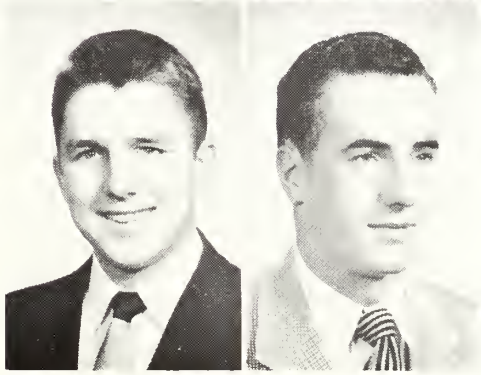
RUTH A. KANKALO

22 Palmer Avenue

Latin Scientific Course

"Ruthie" Oct. 14

Glee Club Senior Revue
Dramatic Guild Library Staff
Civics Club



GEORGE KATSARAKES

3 Harris Street

Technical Course

"Katsy" Oct. 6

Track Dramatic Guild
Debating Club Senior Revue
Civics Club

DAVID A. KEANE

17 Shillaber Street

General Course

"Keano" Apr. 17

Football Track
Basketball Senior Revue
Civics Club

MARCIA J. KEITH

5 Barrett Road

Latin Scientific Course

July 14

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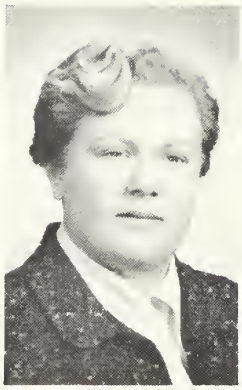
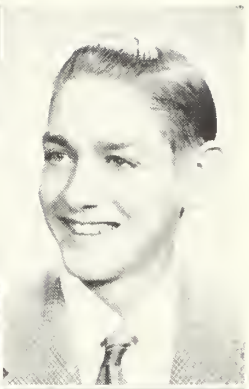
Meta Staff — Senior Revue
Debating Club — Civics Club
Women's Club





CHARLES E. KELLY

2 Brown Street

Technical Course

"Kell" — Dec. 29

Baseball

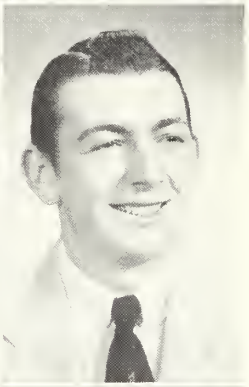
PATRICIA A. KILEY

440 Lowell Street

General Course

"Pat" — Feb. 18

Senior Revue — Civics Club



JOHN P. KLEMCZUK

2 Elliot Place

Technical Course

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Civics Club

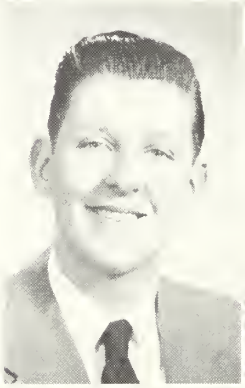
GREGORY P. KLIBANSKY

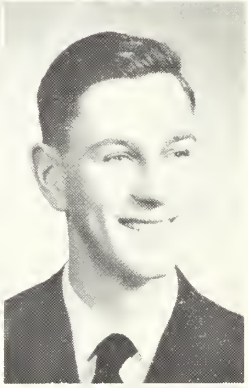
6 Pulaski Street

Technical Course

"Greg" — June 28

Senior Revue — Civics Club





EDWARD F. KOHUT

35 Oak Street

General Course

Oct. 9

Pen-Pal Club — Meta Staff
Junior Achievement

MARY KOUTSOS

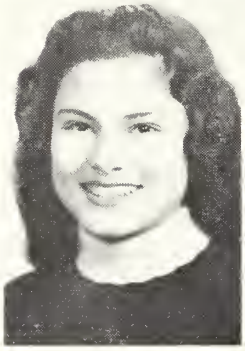
Russell Street

Honor Graduate Cum Laude

Commercial Course

"Kootsie" — Feb. 22

Meta Staff — Office Pagette
Spanish Club — Senior Revue
Civics Club



JOAN M. KOWALSKI

22 Endicott Street

General Course

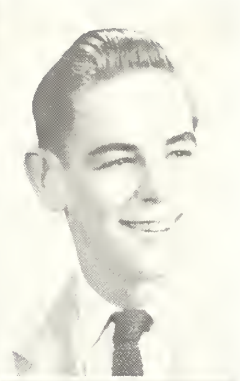
"Jo" — May 3

Spanish Club — Senior Revue
Civics Club — Lunch Counter

PATRICIA A. KOWALSKI
22 Endicott Street
General Course

"Pat" May 3

Spanish Club Senior Revue
Civics Club Lunch Counter



STEPHEN J. KOWALSKI
22 Endicott Street
General Course

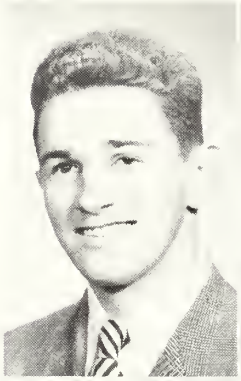
"Killer" June 14

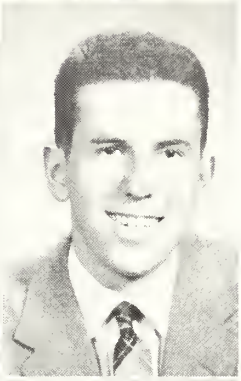
Civics Club Junior Achievement

THOMAS W. KRISKO
6 Elm Place
Technical Course

"Buster" Nov. 24

Football Senior Revue
Civics Club





ALBERT LAMPERT
53 Paleologos Street
Latin Scientific Course

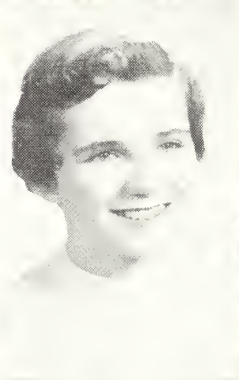
"Al" Aug. 26

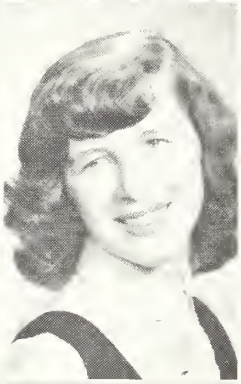
Track Debating Club
Dramatic Guild Civics Club

JACQUELINE M. LeBLANC
25 Kenwood Road
Latin Scientific Course

"Jackie" Aug. 10

Office Pagette Glee Club
Senior Revue Civics Club





LORRAINE C. LeBREUX
Goodale Street
General Course

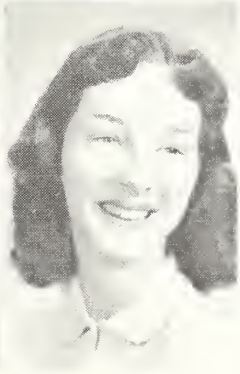
"Tootsie" June 8

Civics Club

JANET E. LENDALL
86 Endicott Street
General Course

"Jan" Mar. 22

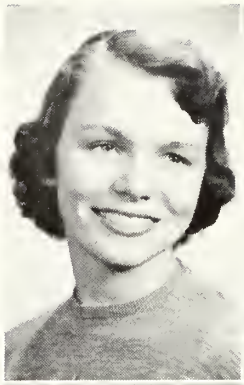
Meta Staff Spanish Club
Senior Revue Lunch Counter



PATRICIA V. LEVESQUE
17 Washington Street
General Course

"Pat" Apr. 8

Senior Revue Majorette
Civics Club



EVELYN C. MacKINNON

52 Endicott Street

General Course

"Eve" Feb. 9

Meta Staff Homeroom Rep.
Spanish Club Senior Revue
Girl's Basketball Civics Club

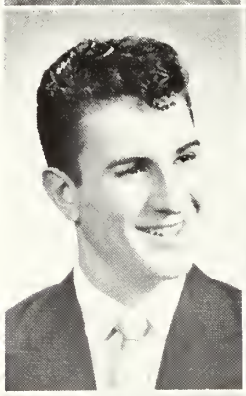
FLORENCE V. MAFLEY

7 Elm Street

General Course

"Flossie" July 24

Observer Staff Spanish Club
Girl's Basketball Senior Revue
Junior Achievement Civics Club



WILLIAM S. MAISTRELLIS

62 Andover Street

Honor Graduate Cum Laude

Classical Course

"Bill" July 26

Meta Staff Football
Senior Revue Civics Club

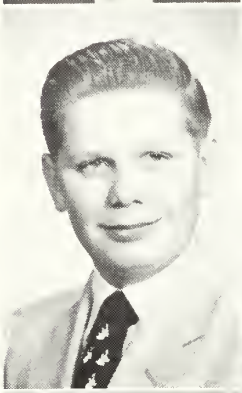
FRANCES A. MANNING

118 Foster Street

General Course

"Frannie" June 29

Student Advisory Spanish Club
Senior Revue Civics Club
Girl's Basketball



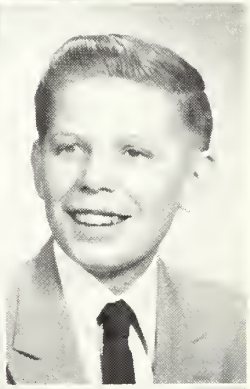
RICHARD L. MARTTILA

9 Elm Street

General Course

"Big" Marty Nov. 12

Band Orchestra
Football, Mgr. Senior Revue
Hockey, Mgr. Baseball, Mgr.
Civics Club



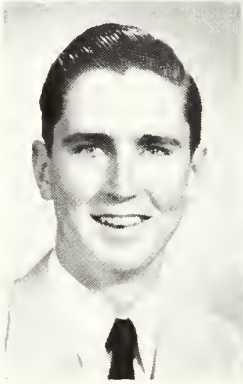
ROBERT E. MARTTILA

9 Elm Street

General Course

"Marty" Nov. 12

Homeroom Rep. Band
Orchestra Hockey, Mgr.
Student Advisory Senior Revue



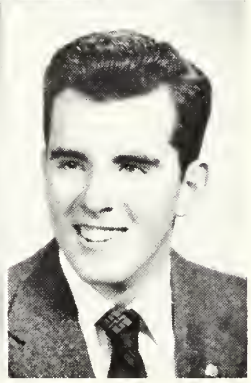
LEO J. McCAFFREY

80 Franklin Street

Latin Scientific Course

"Mac" Nov. 23

Civics Club Golf



JOHN F. McCARTHY

7 Emery Street

Latin Scientific Course

"Mac"

U. S. Navy

JEANETTE E. McDONALD

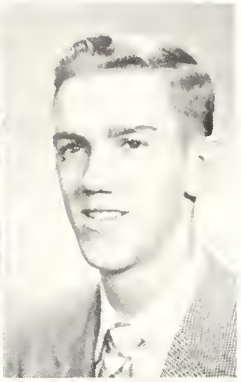
111 Rainbow Terrace,

Salem, Mass.

General Course

"Tootsie", "Mac" Nov. 9

Civics Club



THOMAS R. McNULTY

13 Putnam Street

General Course

"Nails" Feb. 19

Meta Staff Class Officer, Jr.
Class Officer, Sr. Football
Hockey Student Advisory
Dramatic Guild Senior Revue
Civics Club Student Exchange
Good Government

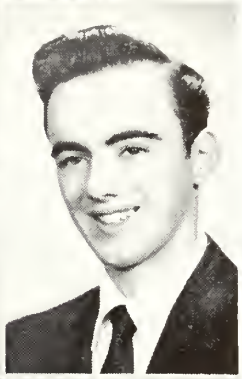
VIRGINIA D. MELLO

3 Roland Road

General Course

"Ginny" Feb. 7

Debating Club Senior Revue
Girl's Basketball



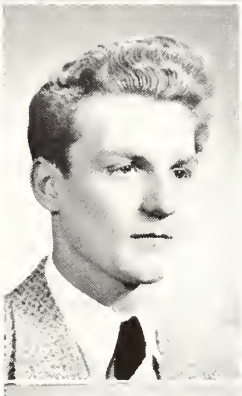
JOSEPH J. MICHALLYSYN

7 Memorial Drive

General Course

"Zeke" Mar. 19

Basketball Track
Spanish Club Senior Revue



JOHN B. MICHAUD

39 Harris Street

Vocational-Automotive Course

"Mitch" Dec. 19

Student Advisory Vocational Club

DAVID C. MOODY

27 Veterans Memorial Drive

Vocational-Electrical Course

"Groucho" Aug. 17

Homeroom Rep. Senior Revue
Vocational Club Civics Club

BARBARA L. MOORE

58 Emerson Avenue

General Course

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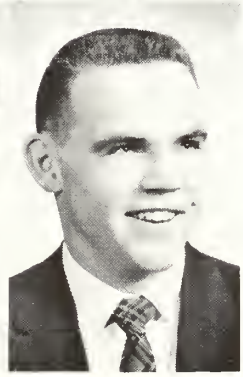


JAMES F. MORAN

1 Swampscott Avenue

General Course

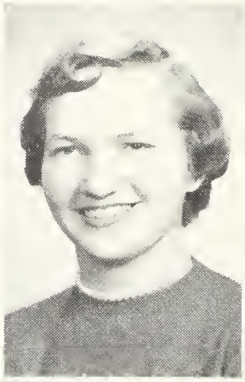
"Moe" Apr. 22

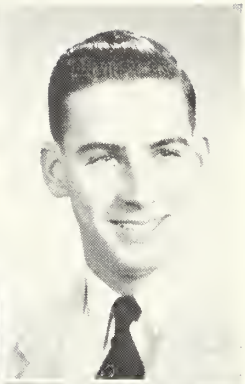
Football Basketball
Track Spanish Club
Senior Revue Civics Club

CLAIRE M. MORRISON
15 Osborne Street
Latin Scientific Course

"Clai" Feb. 27

Observer Staff Senior Revue
Civics Club





NICHOLAS MOSKEVICH, JR.
15 Goldthwaite Place
General Course

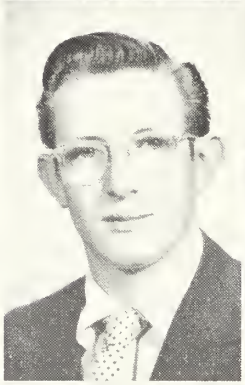
"Nick" Oct. 16

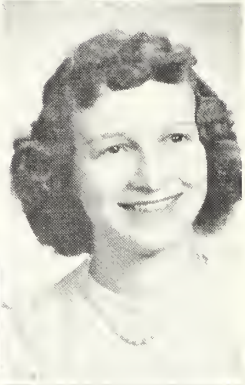
Senior Revue Civics Club

GEORGE E. MOSSE
16 Linden Road
General Course

"Wink" Oct. 13

Meta Staff Baseball
Senior Revue Civics Club





FRANCES MUISE
14 Shillaber Street
Commercial Course

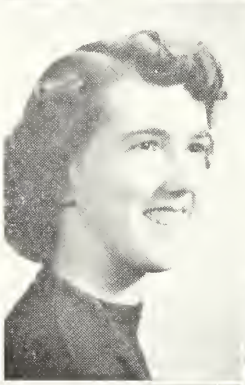
"Longlegs", "Franny" Sept. 23

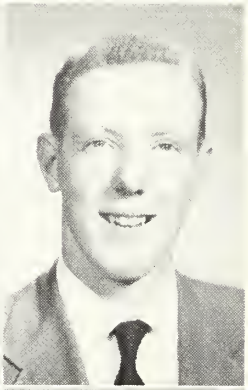
Observer Staff Meta Staff
Spanish Club Senior Revue
Civics Club

ELIZABETH J. MUSE
99 Washington Street
Commercial Course

"Snookie" Sept. 1

Meta Staff Senior Revue
Homeroom Rep. Civics Club





ALBERT F. NEWHALL
102 Lynn Street
Technical Course

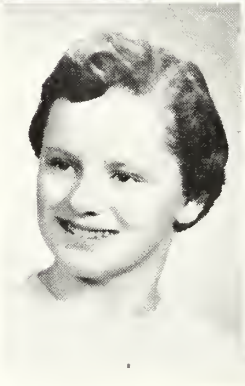
"Al" Apr. 29

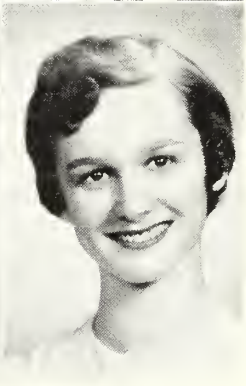
Senior Revue Civics Club

SHIRLEY J. NIMBLETT
70 Margin Street
Commercial Course

"Shirl" Dec. 30

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Homeroom Rep. Office Pagette
Civics Club Student Advisory
Spanish Club Glee Club Officer
Senior Revue Cheer Leader
Girl's Basketball





LORRAINE A. NIMS
22 Mason Street
Commercial Course

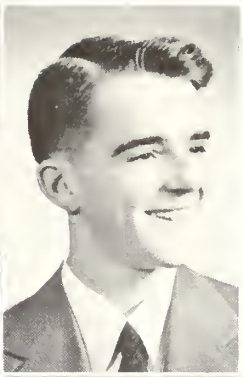
"Laurie" Oct. 9

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Spanish Club [illegible]
Senior Revue [illegible]

ANN M. NOLAN
11 Park Street
General Course

"Ann" Oct. 29

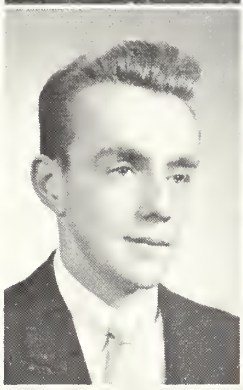
Senior Revue Junior Achievement



CHARLES T. O'SHEA
16 Putnam Street
Latin Scientific Course

"CT" April 1

Senior Revue
Civics Club



ROGER P. O'SHEA
4 Colonial Road
General Course

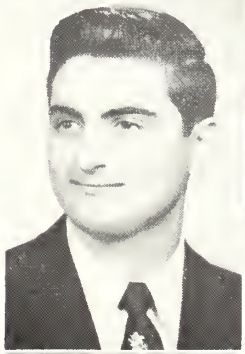
"Peto" Feb. 1

Homeroom Rep. Golf
Senior Revue

MARY A. O'SULLIVAN
17 Lynnfield Street
Honor Graduate Cum Laude
Commercial Course

"Archie" May 4

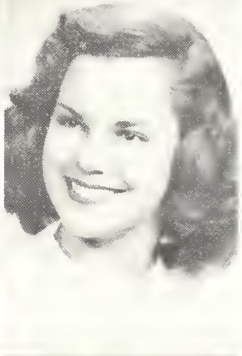
Observer Staff Meta Staff
Office Pagette Spanish Club
Library Club Civics Club
Junior Achievement



PYTHAGORAS S. PANTAPAS
85 Lynnfield Street
Technical Course

"Pat" Dec. 17

Senior Revue Civics Club



RITA F. PELLETIER
58 Aborn Street
Honor Graduate Cum Laude
Commercial Course

"Pelle" May 11

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Office Pagette Glee Club
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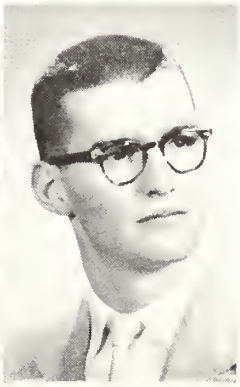
ELIZABETH F. PITCHER
11 Florence Road
Latin Scientific Course

"Peggy" July 12

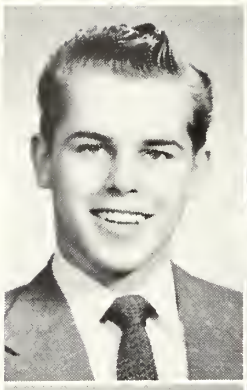
Glee Club Senior Revue
'ball Civics Club



RICHARD F. PRENDIBLE
10 Berry Street
Technical Course

"Dick" June 27

Meta Staff Hockey
Senior Revue Civics Club



WILLIAM J. PROKOPOVICH

62 Aborn Street

General Course

"Proko" Apr. 26

Football Spanish Club
Track Senior Revue
Civics Club

JOANN E. PULEO

12 Calumet Street

Commercial Course

"Jo" Oct. 14

Observer Staff Spanish Club
Meta Staff Civics Club
Office Pagette

ANNTONETTE M. RABCHENUK

2 Avon Street

Commercial Course

"Toni" Dec. 23

Observer Staff Dramatic Guild
Meta Staff Senior Revue
Spanish Club Library Staff
Office Pagette Civics Club
Junior Achievement

PHYLLIS E. REGALI

253 Lynn Street

Commercial Course

"Phil" Nov. 1

Observer Staff Senior Revue
Meta Staff Library Staff
Spanish Club Civics Club
Glee Club

MARIA V. REGIS

204 Washington Street

Commercial Course

"Regie" May 16

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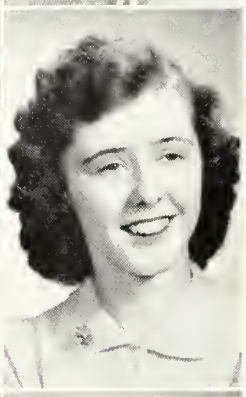
Spanish Club Library Staff
Glee Club Civics Club
Senior Revue Girl's Basketball



JUDITH E. REILY

67 Emerson Avenue

Commercial Course

"Judy" May 21

Observer Staff Senior Revu.
Meta Staff Library Staff
Spanish Club Civics Club
Junior Achievement Glee Club
Office Pagette

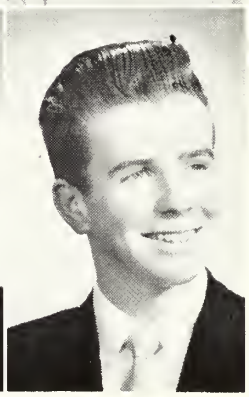
BURTON L. REMIS

1 Gardner Road

Latin Scientific Course

"Burt" Apr. 14

Observer Staff Dramatic Guild
Meta Staff Senior Revue
Golf Civics Club



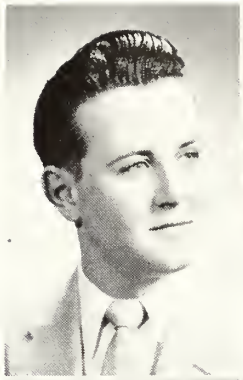
CHARLES G. RENNICK

10 Putnam Street

General Course

"Recker", "Jerry"

Senior Revue



RICHARD J. RIORDAN

91 Fairview Avenue

General Course

"Dink" Dec. 9

Senior Revue Civics Club

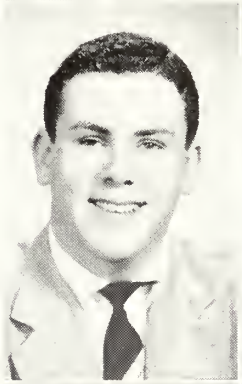
GERALDINE D. ROCHE

29 Proctor Street

General Course

"Gerry" Feb. 9

Civics Club



SIDNEY J. RUBINSTEIN

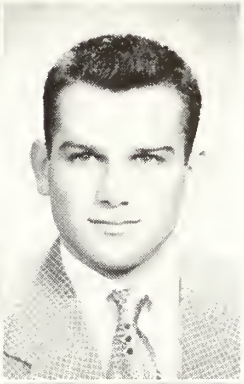
16 Jacobs Street

General Course

"Sidzy" July 4

Meta Staff Senior Revue

Civics Club



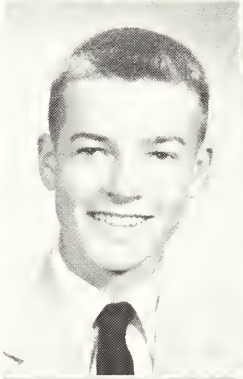
PAUL H. RUELLE, JR.

10 Blair Terrace

Latin Scientific Course

"Frenchie" Oct. 30

Observer Staff Student Advisory
Meta Staff Dramatic Guild
Track Senior Revue
Civics Club



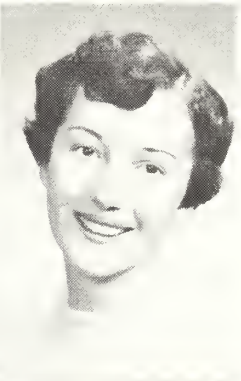
ALLAN R. SANGER

205 Andover Street

Commercial Course

"Zeke" June 15

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Spanish Club Dramatic Guild
Senior Revue Civics Club



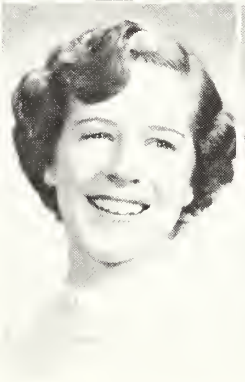
ELIZABETH A. SANTULIANI

33 Mason Street

General Course

"Betty", "The Bet" June 6

Observer Staff Dramatic Guild
Meta Staff Senior Revue
Class Officer, Jr. Cheer Leader
Class Officer, Sr. Civics Club
Student Advisory Girl's Basketball
Exchange Student



ANNE P. SARGENT

200 Lowell Street

Latin Scientific Course

"T[illegible]v" Dec. 13

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Lunch Counter
[illegible]uild Women's Club

CHRISTINE D. SARGENT

200 Lowell Street

Honor Graduate Cum Laude

Latin Scientific Course

"Chris", "Twinie" Dec. 13

Observer Staff Senior Revue
Meta Staff Girl's Basketball
Glee Club Civics Club
Dramatic Guild Lunch Counter
Woman's Club

SHIRLEY L. SCARNEGIE

32 Rockway Street

General Course

"Shirl" Jan. 17

Girl's Basketball Civics Club

BERNARD SHAKTMAN

35 Evans Road

Honor Graduate Cum Laude

Latin Scientific Course

"Bernie" Sept. 1

Observer Staff Basketball
Meta Staff, Editor Senior Revue
Class Officer, Jr. Debating Club
Homeroom Rep. Civics Club
Baseball Dramatic Guild
Student Advisory

JOHN A. SHEEHAN, JR.

5 Winnegance Avenue

General Course

"Jules" Feb. 25

Vocational Club Civics Club

RUTH SHOER

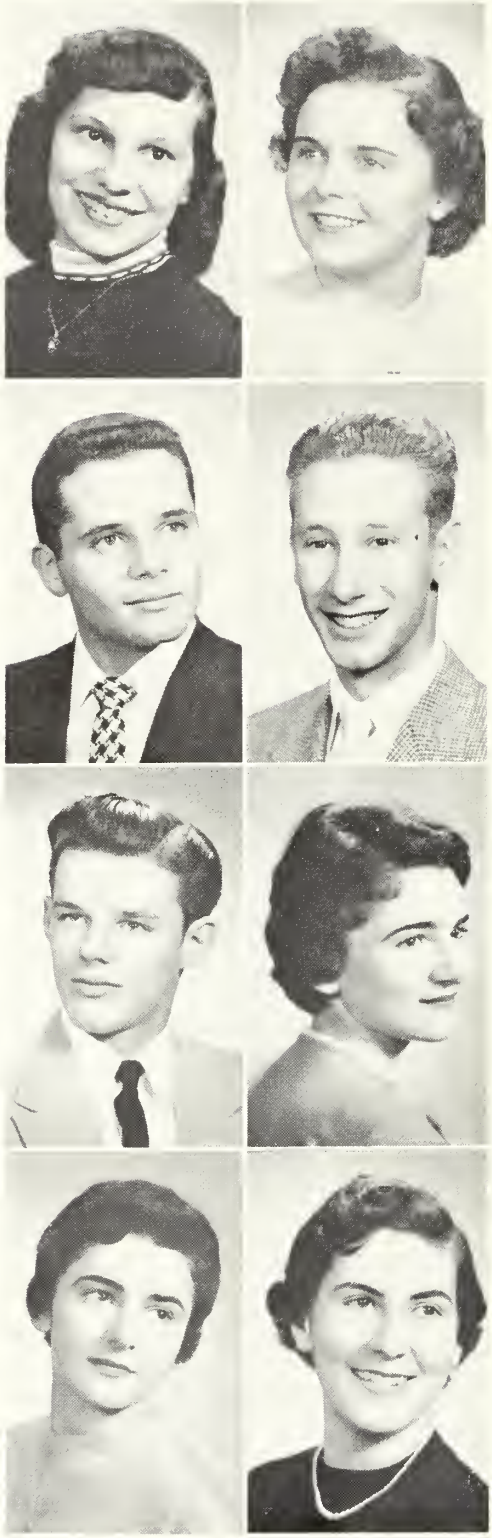
65 Andover Street

Honor Graduate - Essayist

Latin Scientific Course

"Ruthie" Apr. 22

Observer Staff Glee Club
Meta Staff Dramatic Guild
Orchestra Senior Revue
Debating Club Civics Club
Spanish Club Woman's Club



SANDRA J. SEABERG

207 Lynn Street

Honor Graduate Cum Laude

Commercial Course

"Sandy" Feb. 27

Observer Staff Dramatic Guild
Meta Staff Senior Revue
Student Advisory Library Staff
Spanish Club Girl's Basketball
Civics Club

LEWIS B. SHAKTMAN

21 Nelson Road

General Course

"The Skid Kid" Dec. 1

Senior Revue Civics Club

PATRICIA SHOER

65 Andover Street

Honor Graduate - Essayist

Latin Scientific Course

"Pattie" Apr. 22

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Student Advisory Orchestra
Debating Club Spanish Club
Dramatic Guild Glee Club
Senior Revue Civics Club
Woman's Club

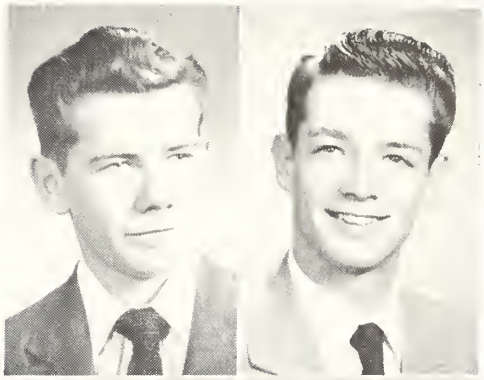
ROSEMARIE SILVIA

35 Abington Avenue

General Course

"Rosie"

Meta Staff Civi[illegible]
Senior Revue [illegible]ub



RAYMOND SMITH

200 Washington Street

Vocational-Electric Course

"Smitty" Dec. 14

Vocational Club Civics Club

ROGER W. SMITH

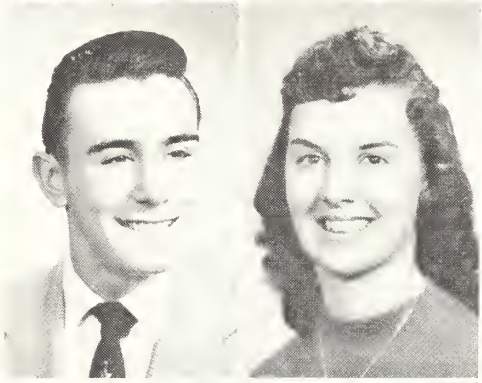
10 Clement Avenue

Technical Course

"Snuffy" Nov. 23

Hockey Civics Club

Track Senior Revue



GEORGE L. SMYRNIOS

76 Wallis Street

Technical Course

"Greek" July 21

Football Senior Revue
Basketball Civics Club
Track

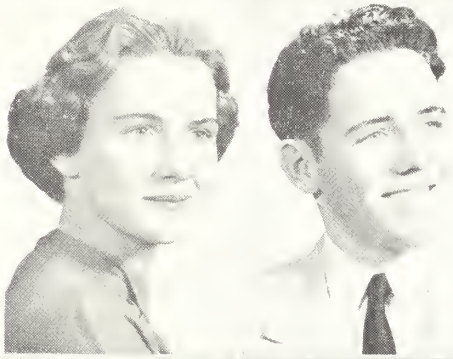
DOLORES R. SNOW

8 Charles Street

Latin Scientific Course

"Rae" Dec. 18

Meta Staff Dramatic Guild
Class Officer, Sr. Senior Revue
Homeroom Rep. Cheer Leader
Student Advisory Library Staff
Office Pagette Civics Club
Girl's Basketball



HELEN R. SOBOCZINSKI

8 Endicott Street

Commercial Course

"Sobo" Jan. 2

Spanish Club Majorette
Senior Revue Civics Club
Girl's Basketball Meta Staff

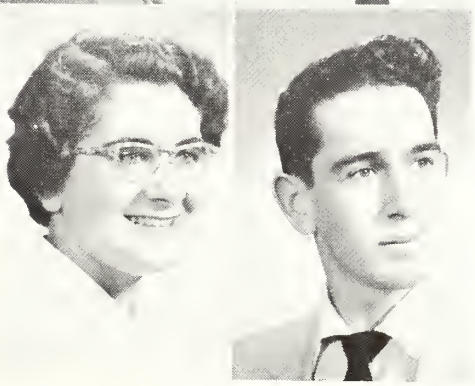
LEVERETT G. STANLEY, JR.

1 Bowen Road

Technical Course

"Stan" Nov. 28

Civics Club



BARBARA A. STEPENUCK

12 Dane Street

Commercial Course

June 30

ı Senior Revue
gette Library Staff
·b Civics Club
Achievement

LAWRENCE F. STONE

30 St. Ann's Avenue

Vocational-Automotive Course

"Stoney" June 21

Vocational Club Civics Club

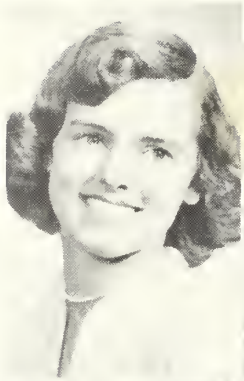
MARILYN J. SUDAK

121 Lynnfield Street

Commercial Course

"Dimples" Mar. 22

Office Pagette Meta Staff
Glee Club Spanish Club
Library Staff Civics Club
Girl's Basketball



MARY J. SWEENEY

112 Tremont Street

Honor Graduate Magna Cum Laude

Commercial Course

"Mary Jo" Oct. 28

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Office Pagette Spanish Club
Glee Club Dramatic Guild
Senior Revue Library Staff
Girl's Basketball Civics Club
Junior Achievement

FRANCES E. SYLVESTER

116 Foster Street

General Course

"Fran" May 9

Spanish Club Senior Revue
Civics Club

SARAH E. SYLVESTER

116 Foster Street

General Course

"Sally" June 7

Spanish Club Senior Revue
Civics Club

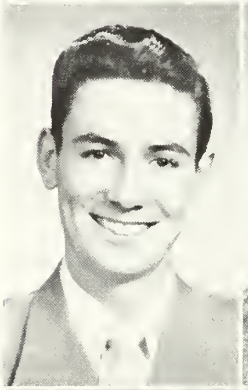
WILLIAM M. TAMBINI

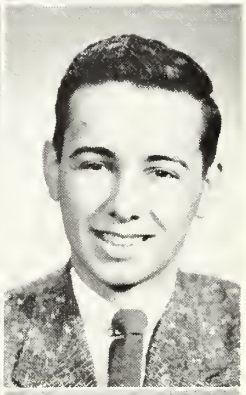
26 Broad Street

Vocational-Machine Course

"Tambo" Sept. 9

Meta Staff Student Advisory
Vocational Club Senior Revue





JASON M. TANZER

47 Pierpont Street

Latin Scientific Course

"Jay" Feb. 25

Dramatic Guild Senior Revue
Civics Club

ANN M. TEBBETTS

22 Oakand Street

Honor Graduate Cum Laude

Commercial Course

"Nan" Nov. 12

Observer Staff Meta Staff
Spanish Club Glee Club
Dramatic Guild Library Staff
Girl's Basketball Senior Revue
Civics Club Junior Achievement

ELAINE TIMSON

397 Lynnfield Street

General Course

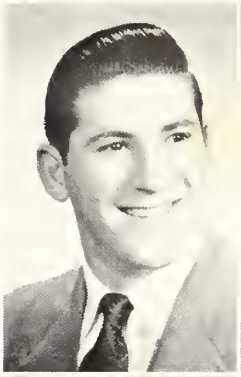
"Timmy" Mar. 22

Office Pagette Spanish Club
Glee Club Senior Revue
Girl's Basketball Civics Club

NICHOLAS J. TRACCHIA
37 Lynnfield Street
Vocational-Automotive Course

"Nickie" Feb. 16

Football Vocational Club
Baseball Senior Revue



THERESA L. TRAINOR
54 King Street
General Course

"Terry" Nov. 23

Spanish Club Girl's Basketball
Glee Club Civics Club
Senior Revue

ORESTES G. TSALTAS
75 Wallis Street
Technical Course

"Rusty" Nov. 22

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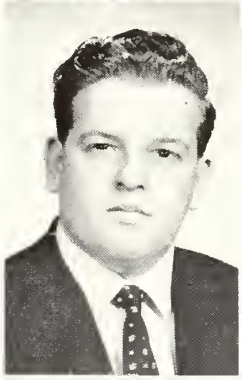
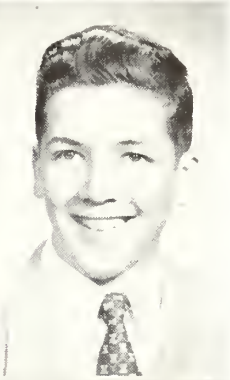
Meta Staff Senior Revue
Homeroom Rep. Civics Club





STANLEY E. TUSINSKI
Farm Avenue
Latin Scientific Course

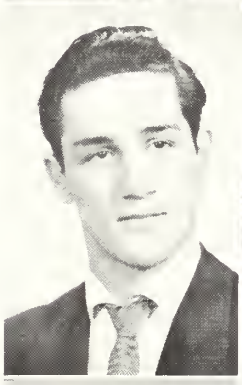
"Stan" Oct. 13

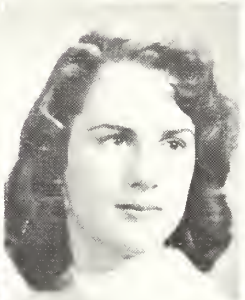
Senior Revue

VICTOR UNHAO
92 Walnut Street
Vocational-Automotive Course

"Vic" May 18

Homeroom Rep. Vocational Club
Student Advisory Senior Revue





BARBARA F. URQUHART
2 Lowe Street
Commercial Course

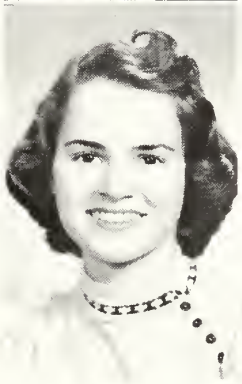
"Barbie" June 2

Spanish Club Senior Revue

JUANITA URQUHART
2 Lowe Street
General Course

"Neni" Apr. 27

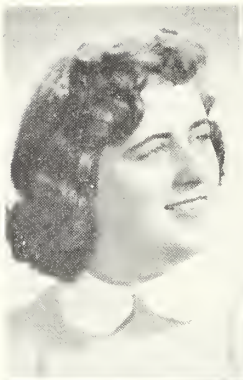
Senior Revue



ROSEMARY E. WALSH
7 Proctor Street
Latin Scientific Course

"Rosa" Feb. 1

Glee Club Senior Revue
Library Staff Civics Club



SHIRLEY M. WOITUNSKI

7 Spring Street Court

General Course

"Shirl" Nov. 7

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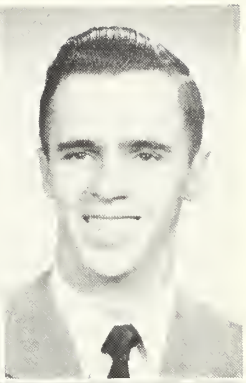


ROBERT H. WOOLDRIDGE

59 Lake Shore Road

Latin Scientific Course

"Bob", "Will" Mar. 6

Observer Staff Baseball
Meta Staff Student Advisory
Senior Class, Treas. Basketball
Junior Homeroom Rep. Football
Dramatic Guild Senior Revue
Civics Club

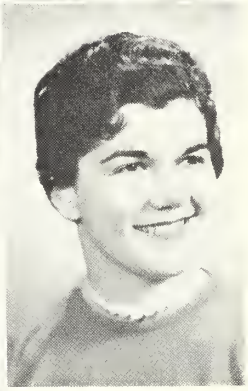
CHARLOTTE A. WORSENCROFT

126 Lynnfield Street

General Course

"Sharl" Aug. 30

Spanish Club Senior Revue
Dramatic Guild Civics Club
Girl's Basketball



APHRODITE XERRAS

11 Dustin Street

General Course

"Effie" or "Afro" Jan. 3

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Orchestra Senior Revue
Spanish Club Girl's Basketball
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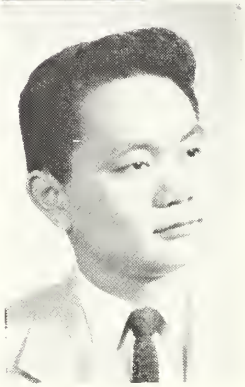

HARRY YEE

12 Sutton Street

Latin Scientific Course

Oct. 10

Junior Class Officer Track
Dramatic Guild Senior Revue
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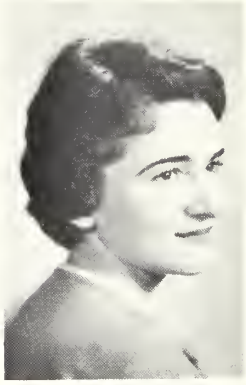
SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Valedictorian
ANN BENDER

Salutatorian
LEONA GORDON



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PATRICIA SHOER

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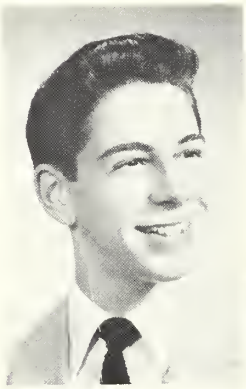
RUTH SHOER

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

LOIS AMARAL



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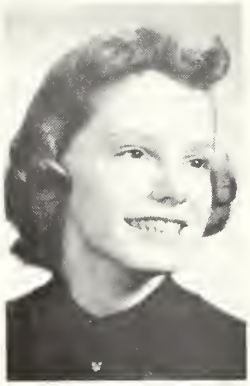

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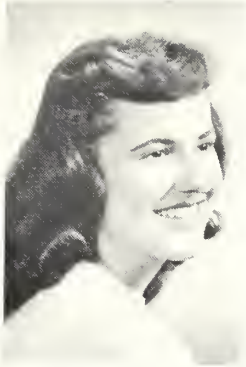
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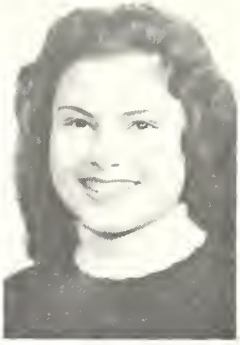
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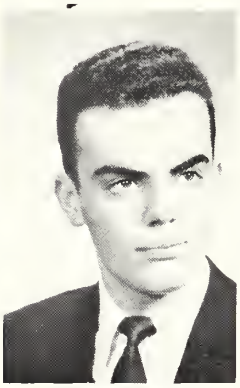
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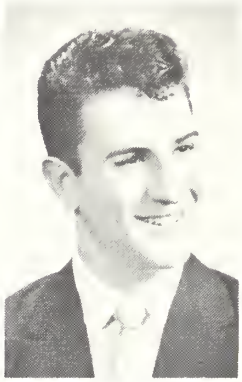
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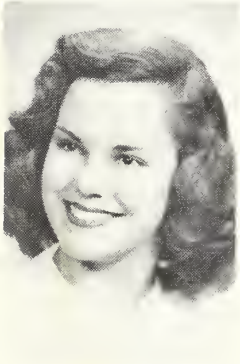
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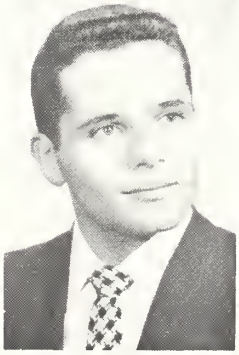
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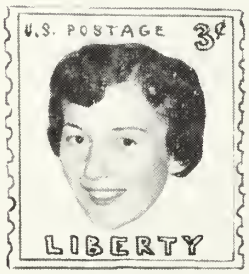

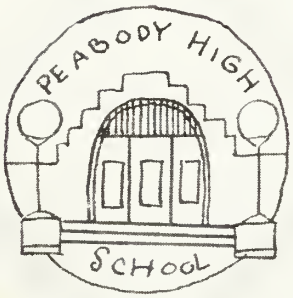

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Jane Doyle Bernard Shaktman

Art Editor

Gertrude Delp

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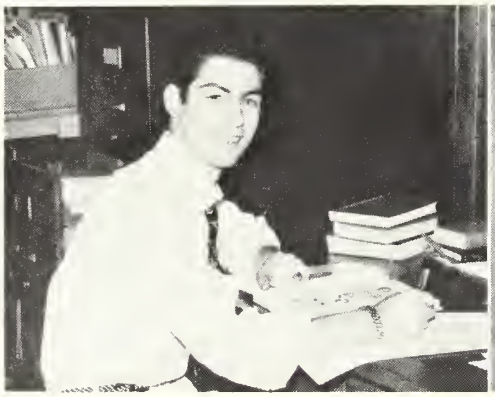

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Art Editor

Robert Cagan

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M E T A

A R T I S T S

Front: Andrew Dulavitz, Robert Cagan. Rear: Barbara DeVarennes, Gertrude Delp, Harvey Erlich.

REMEMBER WHEN—

CIVICS CLUB 1952

SPANISH CLUB 1954

JUNIOR CLASS 1954

DRAMATIC GUILD

Our Dramatic Guild has been one of the chief sources of entertainment and fun for the Class of 1955 throughout our four years at Peabody High School During this time, as in the twelve previous years, our able director has been the genial Mr. D. Edward Gorman. He has, as always, guided us toward the right decisions, has been patient with us and our many problems, and has worried for us while the play was in progress. To him we extend our many grateful thanks.

In this school year of "54-55", we presented our one play, a comedy, following the pattern set last year. Although the Spring play was for numerous reasons foregone this year, the Guild still made its annual trip to Boston to attend a play presented by professionals "like us."

Our meetings were capably conducted by our President, Katherine Dakos, and our Vice-President Chrisoula Fillis. The Secretary (recovering from a bad case of writer's cramp) was Anne Sargent; and our hard-working money-counting Treasurer was Harry Yee. Chairman of the Board of Directors was Anne Cuddire and our Senior Director was AnnMarie Durand.

President — Katherine Dakos

Vice-President — Chrisoula Fillis

Secretray — Anne Sargent Treasurer — Harry Yee

SENIOR MEMBERS OF THE DRAMATIC GUILD

CAST OF "HENRIETTA THE EIGHTH"

Wilma Sulton ..... Ann Bender
Maggie ..... Mary Dineen
Carol Sulton ..... Leona Gordon
Adele Sulton ..... Katherine Dakos
Claire Sulton ..... Anne Cuddire
Dizzy Lucas ..... Bernard Shaktman
Baggypants Baldwin ..... Jason Tanzer
Ding Barrett ..... Robert Cagan
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Annabelle Mason ..... Patricia Shoer
Jimmy Howard ..... Paul Ruelle
Henrietta Carver ..... AnnMarie Durand
Roy Taylor ..... Robert Wooldridge
Lizzie ..... Christine Sargent
Martha ..... Patricia Curtin

Coke Set—Joyce Dakos, Fay and Albert Gibeley
Arthur Pappathanasi, Janet Schaub Christine Papouleas

Director, D. Edward Gorman
Assistant Director, Chrisoula Fillis
Prompters: Anne Sargent, Ruth Shoer
Stage Manager, Orestes Tsaltas
Assistant Stage Managers: Marcia Erlich
Albert Lampert, George Katsarakes.

Glee Club

Front: Lois Amaral, Theresa Trainor, Lorraine Nims, Marilyn Sudak, MaryJo Sweeney, Ann Tebbetts, Anne Sargent, Ruth Shoer. Rear: Rita Pelletier, Patricia Shoer, AnnMarie Durand, Marie Fournier, Katherine Dakos, Phyllis Regali, Elizabeth Pitcher, Mary O'Sullivan, Christine Sargent, Ruth Kankalo, Anne Cuddire, Rosemary Walsh, Judy Reily, Maria Regis.

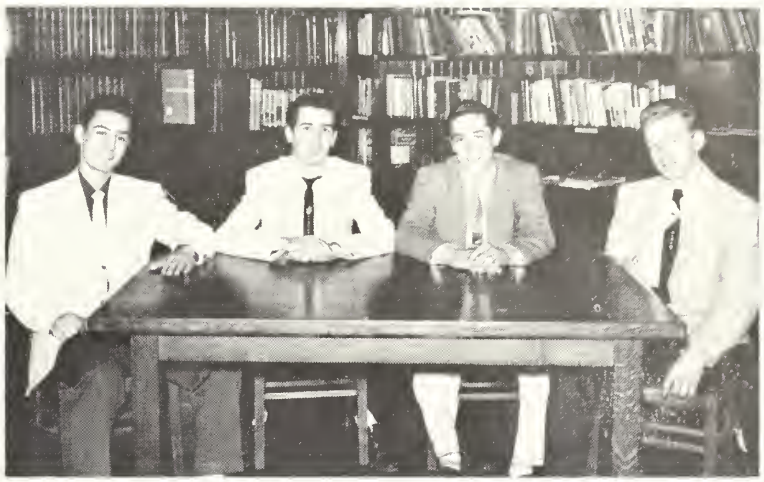
Debating Club

Front: Mary Dineen, Chrisoula Fillis, Mr. D. Edward Gorman, Gertrude Delp, Ruth Shoer. Rear: Patricia Curtin, Ann Bender, Albert Lampert, George Katsarakes, Bernard Shaktman, Marcia Keith, Leona Gordon.

VOCATIONAL CLUB

Undoubtedly one of the most spirited organizations of Peabody High School, the "Voke Club" has become a vital part of our student body and a real asset to our school. Having a long list of achievements, the Vocational Club exerts many important programs for the benefit of its members and the entire school in general.

The Electrical Department installed all the new, modern electric wall clocks in the High School. Co-operating with the Athletic Association, this group completely wired the new football scoreboard at Leo Buckley Stadium.



Traesurer, William Tambini, Vice President, Richard Wiggin; President, Victor Unhao; Secretary, John Michaud

The Automotive Department, with the aid of the most modern euipment, repaired numerous cars upon requests of many Peabody citizens.

While learning the latest techniques, the Machine Shop group contributed to the operation and safety of the High School by repairing any defective equipment.

On the social side, the Vocational Club sponsored a mammoth record hop featuring Symphony Sid. Our facilities were hardly able to cope with the hundreds of dancers who wished to support this affair. The proceeds from this annual dance are used by the organization for both educational and recreational purposes. In previous years the funds have been used used to defray expenses incurred in trips to industrial plants and recreational outings. This year, the group decided to purchase jackets for its eighty-one members.

The Vocational Club sincerely wishes to thank all of their teachers for their kind consideration and capable guidance.

To Mr. Vozella, Mr. Campus, Mr. Grant, Mr. Pierotti and Mr. Riley, we are extremely grateful. And our indebtedness to Mr. Alfred Hurley, Principal of the Vocational School, for his thoughtfulness, consideration and valued friendship, can only be expressed in the assurance, that whatever our postiion in life, we shall ever recall the opportunities afforded us by this quiet and unassuming administrator.

VOCATIONAL CLUB OFFICERS

President, Victor Unhao

Vice President, Richard Wiggin

Secretary, John Michaud

Treasurer, William Tambini

DEPARTMENTAL REPRESENTATIVES

Machine: John Douglas, Richard Howland

Automotive: Lawrence Stone, Raymond Snell

Electrical: David Moody

SENIOR REVUE

FUN & FANTASY

The Porterettes ..... Girls Group
"Down By The Station" ..... Bernie Shaktman & Co.

BRITISH ISLES — "Queen" Ann Cuddire
M.C. Joe Fleming
Kerry Dancers ..... Mixed Group
"A Bonnie Lass" ..... Natalie Goulston
"Command Performance" ..... Mixed Group
"Shining Shamrocks" ..... Girls Group
"Th ePride of Old Erin" ..... Danny Guthrie
"Hi Ho Highlanders" ..... Mixed Group

ORIENT — AnaBea Gallo
M.C. Sid. Rubenstein
Oriental Splendor ..... Helen Soboczinski
"Comrades" ..... Senior Boys
"She Walks in Beauty" ..... Mona Renard
"Don't Fence Me In" ..... Rusty Tsaltas
Birds of Paradise ..... Tap Group
Harem Scarem ..... Senior Boys

ALPINE — Fraulein Ann Gibbons
M.C. Dick Prendible
Oberkerchief Chorus ..... Senior Mixed Group
"An Alpine Nut" ..... Gertie Delp
"Little Swiss Miss" ..... Sandralou O'Brien
Cheers to You ..... Mixed Group
"Seeing Double?" ..... Our Twins
"She's Our Sweetheart" ..... Judy Berry
"Lift Your Stein" ..... Boys Chorus

FRANCE — Mlle. Barb. DeVarennes
M.C. Ruth Shoer
"Femme Fatale" ..... Ann Marie Durand, Bob Maney
"Flirtation a la Francais" ..... Mixed Group
"La Petite Demiselle" ..... Reeva Gibley
"Vive L'amour" ..... Sally Freedman, Deanna Wallace & Henry Caron
At the Couturiere ..... Senior Girls
Serenade ..... Kenny Mowbray
"April In Paris" ..... Senior Girls

INTERMISSION

SOUTH OF THE BORDER — Sen. Mary Koutses
M.C. Patricia Shoer
Shuffling Senorita ..... Pat Curtin
"Down Mexico Way" ..... Girls Group
Mambo Miss ..... Bebe Wright
Hey Mambo! ..... Mixed Group
"Muchachas" ..... Senior Boys
"Castles In Spain" ..... Ellen Luz

SOUTH PACIFIC — Lois Amaral
M.C. Gertie Delp
Gobs and a Gal ..... Mixed Group
"King Cole" Magic ..... Kenny Mowbray
"Paradise Beach" ..... Sandy Seaberg & Alan Sanger and girls
Island Incident ..... Gertie Delp & Bob Maney
"Aloha" ..... Rita Pelletier

U.S.A. — "Miss America" Rae Snow
Welcome Home M.C. Bernie Shaktman
Young Man With Piano ..... Ralph Jenkins
Glad To Be Back ..... Judy Berry
"Top Hat, White Tie & Tails" ..... Helen, Reeva & Rita
Waltz Time ..... Marcia Erlich, Alan Sanger Senior Mixed Group

CLOSING CHORUS ..... ENTIRE CAST

CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT ..... Thomas McNulty
VICE-PRESIDENT ..... Ann Farley
TREASURER ..... Robert Wooldrigde
SECRETARY ..... Betty Santuliani

Director—Ruth Conley
Asst. Director — Lena Armstrong
Costumes: Ruth M. O'Keefe, Eva Haines, P. H. S. Girls
Class Advisor — Marie F. Coyle
Make-up — Anne O'Neill, Mary A. McNamara, D. Edward Gorman, Paul Veronese
Sound & Lights — Laurence Cuddire
Finances — Mary Luz
Credits — Arthur J. Barry, Principal
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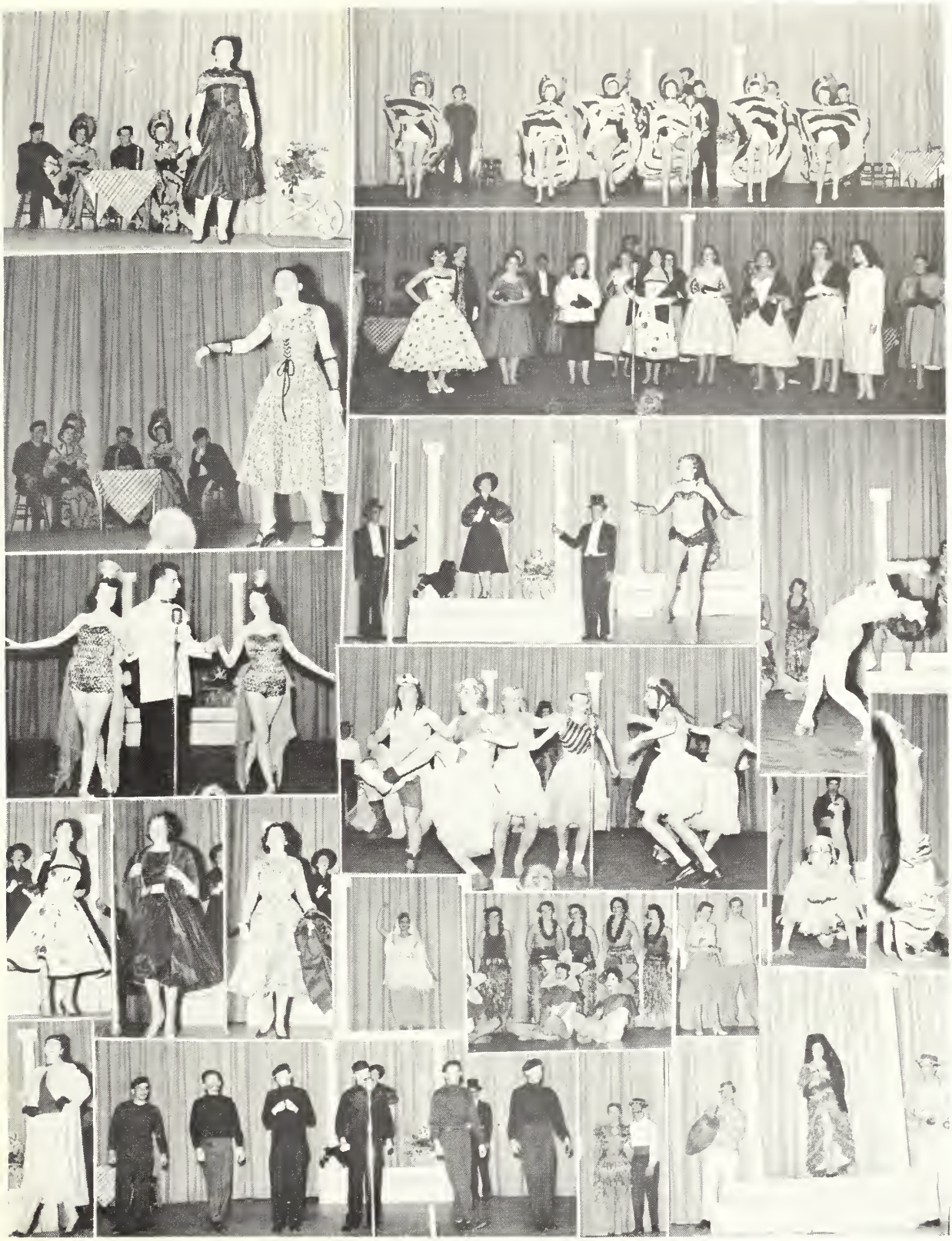

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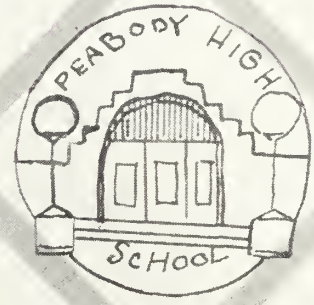

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T'was just four short years ago that we first crossed the hallowed threshold of P.H.S. As we trudged up those three flights of stairs which we e to become oh, so familiar during th: year, we said good-bye to our grammar school chums, knowing that we must soon go into our separate homerooms.

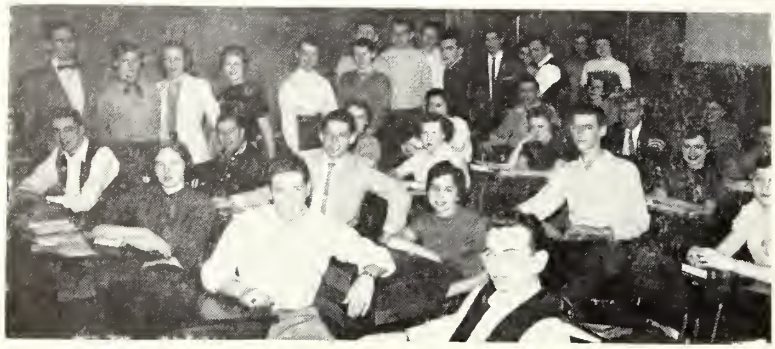
For most of us now in 101, 301, where kind, yet strict Mr. Sullivan held sway, was to be our home as freshmen. As we stood at the door looking into the maze of strange faces, we little realized what the next four years would mean to us and how happy they would be. Little did we imagine then that CHARLIE ANGELAKIS would turn out to be a "rough and tumble" football hero or that little LOIS AMARAL would win the hearts of the football fans with her peppy cheering. We never dreamed that quiet TEDDIE BOCKNICK would be outstanding in both golf and hockey. Of course we knew all along that FRANK BETTENCOURT wouldn't lose a hair on his head. Could that be the reason he became the "Casanova" of P.H.S.? "51-52" was the year STEWART APPLEBAUM sat between Dolores Cashman and Carol Blakney at assembly. You would have thought he'd enjoy it — but he was a shy woman-hater in those days. We suspect that DONALD BURKE would have liked to be in Stewie's shoes that day, (or rather his seat)! Mr. Sullivan's old pal WALLY BROWN, (the granddaddy of 301), and our old friend "Chowhound" Billy Brennan were always good for laughs. Having survived the period of subservience to the lordly seniors, suffered departmentals together, and gone on Civics Club outings, we were all good friends by the time June came.

Before we knew it, it was September and we trudged into school again. However, this time we approached the high school with the poise and calmness of upperclassmen. Scanning the list of names posted before room 205, we discovered that our big happy family had been separated into 205 and 206. Luckily they were right next door to each other so there was plenty of opportunity for mutual visits. We were saddened after a few weeks by the death of our beloved Miss Moriarty of 205, but we soon grew to admire and respect our new homeroom teacher, Mrs. Callahan. 205 was used for office practice so CAROL ATKINSON and some of our other potential office workers got a p-evue of their work, as did ROBERT BARBIARZ and RONALD BELLIVEAU, whenever the junior and senior girls came in during 7th period to practice. To this very day there exists the unsolved mystery of 205. "WHO BROKE THE MACHINES?" Over in 206 ROBERT DENNEHY continued his tobacco chewing despite Miss Token's vehement disapproval. Our votes for the "coolest" in the class went to CARMIE CAIRES as did our votes for 205 Civics Club Representative. PRISCILLA ANDERSON must have had something pretty special in those letters she always carried around to show Jeanne. June rolled around again. After struggling through finals, we were off for our summer fun, anticipating with excitement that the next time we met, we'd be Juniors.

In the fall we sauntered into 108, joyous because we would no longer have to climb any stairs in the morning; and there he was — the one — the — only — the best seamstress in the school — Bill Bresnahan, in person, doing his buttonhole routine. Right away he won all the girl's hearts, especially MARIE CATON'S and ANN BENDER'S. PAT DALTON and CAROL CRAIG, who joined our room that year, kept us in stitches with their jokes. Then along came MARY BALDASSARRE, the Pennsylvania Bombshell; and the room was really in a havoc. "Gus" CAREY, our Paul Bunyan, was so wrought up that he completely demolished two chairs within only a few days. BOB CAGAN and HENRY CARON didn't add to the peace and quiet!!! Boy, did Caron take a razzing from Mr. B. about those football scores! PAT CURTIN, our Girls State Representative, joined the old gang that year, bringing our cheerleaders total up another notch. Now that RONNIE ALLEN had Algebra II, he never let a day go by without carrying his beloved slide rule to school; quite a different situation was that of Dottie Canovan, who left us that year, for she never let a day go by without wearing her boyfriend's ring. We were very proud to have KATHERINE DAKOS, a 108 girl, as lovely JUNIOR PROM QUEEN. When the prom was over, we began to sing — "Soon we'll be SENIORS".

And so it was! The summer passed quickly and our final year at PHS had come. In 101, we had an exciting time. You see, there was stiff competition between DONALD BOYCE and ROBERT BROUGHTON to see who could total up the most stitches. Boyce chalked up his during the hockey season; while Broughton acquired his during the tree moving season. GERTIE DELP left her pals in 109 to come to join her cheering mates, Carmie, Lois, Pat. Right next to Gertie sat gentlemanly, BERNIE CARPENTER, the King of Double Talk. Over in that corner also was JERRY DAVIS who migrated from 109, too, so that she could have some real gossip sessions with SHIRLEY BAKER and ARLENE COOK. Pretty ANNE CUDDIRE was always late getting into the homeroom. Was it because she stopped to talk down in 105? MILLIE BROWLEWICZ aroused our curiosity because we all wanted to meet the boy who gave her the nice ring. Our contribution to the school's best-dressed seniors was ROBERT BROOKS with his sharp black leather jacket, and our contribution to the welfare of our country was BOB CARTER, who left school to serve in the armed forces. Oops, did we neglect to mention the lass who ruled our happy senior realm? — She was pretty Miss Coyle, who laughed with us when we were good, but who knew how to put us in our place when we were bad . . .

Guess that brings us right about up to date. We've only the future to look forward to. Best of luck in the coming years and SEE YOU AT OUR REUNION.



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Dear Diary:

Today we had those dang old final exams! However, tomorrow is my first day of a peaceful and quiet vacation away from the morning tumult of 304. I just can't imagine a morning not harassed by the daily boxing bouts presented by GEORGEOUS GEORGE DOOLEY AND THE MIGHTY CHESHIRE. However, my fears of being annihilated by "The Champs" gave way to folly when JOEY FLEMING began his notorious career as class comedian, (at the expense of his shy and quiet bosom buddy BILLY DANIELS and the patience of MR. ARNOLD). How well I remember the big social event of my Freshman days! That was MARY DINEEN'S Christmas party hostessed by the sweet and smiling Mary herself and her faithful friend ANA BEA close behind. Many a morning I've entered that homeroom in a melancholy mood but HARVEY AND MARCIA ERLICH had managed to keep the third floor rollicking with their everlasting antics. They are cousins, you know, but at heart they've always seemed more like brother and sister—or should I say cat and dog? Well, that's about all I have to say for now, dear diary. I'm awfully sleepy from those exams and as I said, I'm going to enjoy one day of peaceful quietude.

Dear Diary:

Today I went to Canobie Lake with the Civics Club. Gee, I felt so proud last year when I passed from the oblivion of the "upper shelf" to the prestige of room 206. And just think, when I get back from vacation, I'll be a Junior. Getting back to the outing, the busiest place at the whole park was the fortuneteller's booth. It seems everyone is so eager to see what husband the future holds! Boy, were we surprised when she told us that smiling ANN FARLEY was destined to became Vice President of our senior class, Dula Dula (ANDY DULAVITZ) would receive a pilot's license and a nomination to the U.S.A.F. Academy. And how pleased we were when she said pretty BARBARA DEVARENNES would win an offer from Time Magazine in representing the typical American cheerleader. I'm ever so happy about the whole trip but that isn't all that's happened this year, dear diary. The days have been pretty busy as Miss Tocken will testify. Poor Miss Tocken has controlled as well as she could the madcap chatter of PAT DOOLEY and JERRY DAVIS. Of course this is the year that RICHIE CODAIR, joined the famous "hellions of 206". This was JANE DOYLE'S first taste of French and the whole class had to suffer along with her. Little PETER FOUKLES certainly kept the roof off the second floor with his mad dashes to complete those neglected English assignments, while battle royals still flourished wildly between the grammar school loyalists NANCY ELLIOT, representing the Carroll and WALTER EMERY, the Farnsworth. Our only sorrow this year was when WAYNE CRONIN broke his leg, leaving a vacant place in 206 and in the hearts of his classmates. We really established friendships this year. I've never known so many people in my whole life. Everyone knows NANCY GARZONE and RUTH KANKALO are the best of friends and they call them the "cigarette pack and little book of matches."

I could ramble on forever, dairy, about this wonderful year but finals are coming again soon so I'd better go ahead and study.

Dear Diary:

I would have written sooner, but golly, I've been ever so busy this, my third year at P.H.S. I sat between "Fish" (CONNIE GEANOULIS) and ANNA GIBBONS this year and I've never laughed so hard in my entire life. Connie is the new girl with lost of NEW jokes and if Mr. Carlin hadn't been so patient I would no longer be able to write this. We had some new additions to beloved 109 in SHIRLEY DUNN, BERNIE GELOTTI, and JOHN "Sonny" DOUGLAS. Shirley is the sweetest and quietest ever, while Sonny and Bernie have a regular brigade of faculty members behind them looking for undone homework assignments. But it only adds to the fun. ANN MARIE DURAND is still with us and made it evident in a recent assembly when she portrayed a drunken woman.

Perhaps sweet and quiet NATALIE DEVARENNES is the only one who gave "Chas" any peace after all. But just think, a whole summer of normal life once more, then back to the bedlam as a Senior.

Dear Diary:

I made it! I made it! I've graduated! Can you imagine that? Four years have passed and today I received a little white paper to prove it — a diplome that is. So much has happened this Senior year, I just don't know where to begin.

We had a very nice class in 102 under the supervision of one Mr. Veronese. RONNIE DZIERZANOWSKI and AL GIBELEY were an added attraction every day with their snappy clothing. But JIMMY GREVELIS beat them all with his daily orange shirt (especially on St. Patrick's Day with that cute little colleen PAT GREEHY seated in front of him). Of course most of the year was all involved with our Revue. REEVA GIBLEY'S dancing feet were put to real use in her unusual talent for choreography and DANNY GUTHRIE surprised everyone with his truly beautiful voice. LEONA GORDON was just as friendly and smiling as ever (that is when she wasn't dozing with her head on her desk.) ARCHIE GEORGIOU joined the crowd this year and his flashing smile only added to the cheer and gayety which have prevailed throughout the year. JUNE GRUNTKOSKY and CHARLENE JULIEN kept the room afire with their incessant chatter. And didn't they have something to talk about! Those crazy "Molly Maguires," our secret female society was organized with CHRIS FILLIS "always ready to bugg." TOMMY EVANS added (if it were possible) to the turmoil each morning with the haunting lines of "Flamingo," which awoke ROY FARIA as he entered the homeroom, alarm clock in pocket and 10 minutes late.

Well dear diary, there it is, another year of fun and folly, hard work and study, hopes and dreams. I only hope that in the rest of my life I will know such happiness—that we all will.

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"Look at the LITTLE FRESHMAN!!!" Remember the superior seniors glaring at us from lofty heights as we silently crept up three flights of stairs? In the homeroom we stared at the unfamiliar faces that would soon become familiar to us. There we saw BILL MAISTRELLIS, DAVE KEANE and TOM KRISKO who were destined to become football heroes and to receive high honors for their athletic prowess. At this time we never suspected that little BARB MOORE would be cheering the boys on to victory. After most of the year had passed, we became accustomed to the sight of MARY KOUSTOS and LORRAINE LE BREUX arriving late on the stage coach from West Peabody. After four years of this we would think something was amiss if they were early.

In spite of graduation when we were elevated to the higher position of Sophomore we were lowered in one respect to the second floor. We were reintroduced to our friends of the previous year, RUTHIE KANKALO and JACKIE LE BLANC who have grown quite friendly. Ruthie was late in entering school in 1952 because of her trip to Finland. Jackie cast many admiring glances at the different emblems on Ruthie's jacket depicting the many points of interest visited by Ruthie on her trip abroad. From across the room we could hear the chant of "ASDF;LKJ;" from JANET LENDALL and EDDIE KOHUT as they diligently practiced their typing exercises on their desks. While on the other side of the room CHARLIE KELLY and GREGORY KLIBANSKY were busily engaged in a tense and rugged game of "HANGMAN."

Although we passed it every morning, we never gave much thought to the room just a few doors down where we would spend our Junior year at P.H.S. Before we knew it we were no longer passing it by, but were taking up residence in room 201. FRAN MANNING and FLORENCE MAFLEY spent their usual five minutes before school giving a short resume of the school news, but when the bell rang they always seemed to need a little longer to finish and lagged behind the class. Complaints Inc. (EVELYN MacKINNON, MARCIA KEITH, and CLAIRE MORRISON) held daily meetings at the back of the room to discuss the problems which plague every girl, such as fashions, and hair styles. Marcia invariably asked for a comb and Claire and Evelyn scarched madly through their pocket-books for one. Claire usually won the race as Evelyn seemed to have everything in her pocketbook but a comb.

Loud voices could be heard across the room from AL LAMPERT and GEORGE KATSARAKES who were engaged in a "friendly discussion" over who liked "Ike". Mr. Greehy quieted them when they became overly enthusiastic and the bout ended in a draw.

June finally rolled around and we became the high and mighty Seniors ! ! ! ! Class elections were held and BOB MARTTILA was chosen Home Room Representative. His twin brother Richard who sits in front of him takes over his brother's duties as bill collector for senior dues, when his brother is absent. You could always depend on a humorous remark from PAT LEVESQUE, who usually spent her time before school talking with our other set of twins, PAT and JOAN KOWALSKI.

The twins never had much time to answer Pat because PAT KILEY, who sat in front of them never gave anyone much chance to get a word in edgewise. STEVE KOWALSKI pestered LEO McCAFFREY almost every morning by asking him to help him out with his homework and Leo, good naturedly lent him a hand. FRAN MUISE and BETTY MUSE quietly discussed the now famous jingle of the Rotary Club's Contest. Try as they might, Fran and Betty could not invent a good last line so they gave up and found something much more interesting to talk about—BOYS.

To ROBERT HERLIHY, JOHN GUZOWSKI, and LEO HIGGINS, who are in the Armed Forces the homeroom 103 will always be remembered as a place of good fellowship. We of 103 will always remember Bob, John, and Leo and we bid them Godspeed.

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As we, the graduates of the class of "55" prepare for our coming graduation, we cannot help reminiscing about all the wonderful events that have happened to our classmates, most of all, those in homeroom 104.

Each of us, as individuals, has some fond memory to look back to. Some of us have many. One, who indeed has many, is our most popular boy, TOM McNULTY. Having been elected president of the Junior and Senior classes, and having succeeded as an outstanding football player, and captain of the "55" hockey team, Tom was extremely active in his four years at P.H.S. A special honor was bestowed on him when he was chosen by the entire student body to represent Peabody High School during Good Government Day in "55".

Another tops in the class is BETTY SANTULIANI, who in her Junior and Senior years, was chosen as secretary of the class. Spunk and gaiety are hardly enough to describe Betty. With those and other qualities, she was chosen to give our football players considerable encouragement. Because of her talent and personality, she was selected by "Time Magazine", and a photograph of her in her cheering outfit was to grace the cover of that national publication.

Ne'er a day went by when something new wasn't added to our curriculum and school life. ANN NOLAN and JOHN MICHALLYSYN, two of our newer Senior classmates, seemed to be very quiet but they spiritedly participated in many of our activities and quickly became "part of the gang." AL NEWHALL was a picture to see as he walked into our homeroom each new day. It seemed he was always trying to catch up on some unfinished homework. NICKY MOSKEVICH and his newspapers ! ! It seems that he would always wake someone when he was doing his paper route early in the morning. Perhaps that is why so many of us were sleepy.

SHIRLEY SCARNEGIE was always in the center of a group of fellows. This year RICHARD RIORDAN, SID RUBENSTEIN, and GERRY RENNICK had her surrounded.

Football season held a lot of excitement for all. MARIA REGIS, who could really twirl a baton, was chosen to lead our new baton squad. SHIRLEY NIMBLETT, a substitute cheerleader, was very fortunate this season as far as cheering was concerned. She had the opportunity to cheer at five of the games, but her greatest thrill came when she was rooting at the Salem-Peabody game. In her Sophomore and Senior years she was elected as homeroom representative. In her Junior year she was chosen as treasurer of the Glee Club. To our outstanding football players, JAMES MORAN and BILLY PROKOPOVICH, we say thanks for helping us to gain those victories. JOHN MICHAUD, secretary of the Vocational Club, was always present to root for the boys.

As December came upon us, all thoughts turned to the Christmas Ball. Little did we think that we would have a celebrity in our room. But we did, because JOANN PULEO was chosen Queen of the Ball.

Without the help of five of our outstanding typists, LAURIE NIMS, MARY O'SULLIVAN, TONI RABCHENUK, PHYLLIS REGALI, and JUDY REILY, we could never have had such a successful school paper and year book. We are all very thankful to these wonderful girls. PEGGY PITCHER was chosen as Observer representative in our Sophomore homeroom, 212. Her job was to distribute the Observer to the anxious students who wanted to read all the gossip. Thanks Peg, you handled that difficult task with perfect ease.

We would like to cong-atulate the following students for their outstanding achievements! CHARLIE O'ing achievements: CHARLIE O'SHEA was always taking college exams, (We feel sure he will be rewardsd for his efforts) PAT PANTAPAS, cong-atulations on your passingone of the most difficult exams, the N.R.O.T.C.; CHRIS and ANN SARGEANT, without the both of whom we could never have had such a successful Dramatic Guild. As Secretary, Ann, played an important part in the guild. Chris, who participated in our play, helped to make it the success it was. It was just about this time that JOHN McCARTHY left us to serve in the Navy. Best of luck to him and may God always guide him.

As hockey came about, DICK PRENDIBLE and TOMMY McNULTY, did their best for the team. Who knows they may be the hockey stars of the future.

As baseball and golf came our way, little WINK MOSSE, Captain of the baseball team, and BURT REMIS, Captain of the golf team, got together to plan what they would do to capture high honors in both sports. Burt knows that with PETE O'SHEA on his team, he will be helped a great deal in gaining the top position in the golf league.

With the school year coming to a close, all preparations are being made to make this Senior Revue the best ever. SANDY SEABERG'S lovely voice, RITA PELLETIER'S tapping toes and DAVE MOODY'S jovial actions will indeed make it a success. Special thanks go to Rita who worked so diligently in creating those original dances in the revue.

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Once upon a time in 311, under the stern, but friendly supervision of Mr. McDonald, there was a very nice group of Freshmen who had the good fortune of being in such a homeroom. It was in that very room that PAUL RUELLE and MICKEY SHEEHAN had those exciting fist-fights over a certain girl. HELEN SOBOCZINSKI and BERNIE SHAKTMAN were our Observer homeroom representatives. GEORGE SMYRNIOS, at that time, wanted so much to get in the games and really fight, but couldn't because he didn't weigh enough. I suppose we should say "Poor George", but little did we think that he would be our "54"-"55" football captain. He certainly deserved the honor. Other honors belong to the Shoer twins, Ruthie and Pattie, for doing so well from their Freshmen to their Senior days. Having a twin sister really does help when it comes to doing homework.

That year went by extremely fast and so did that Summer. Before we knew it, it was September and we were on our way to school again. Now we were Sophomores, watching the new Freshmen with their puzzled expressions looking at the new world which lay before them. Our homeroom this year was 213, ruled over by Miss Sheehan. Can't you still smell the sweet smelling blossoms which decorated her room so prettily? Can you remember, also, when SID RUBENSTEIN, our comedian, began the painstaking task of washing Miss Sheesan's prize ivy and finally dropped it all over the floor? In spite of it all, he actually enjoyed cleaning each and every leaf. This year we welcomed a newcomer, RAE SNOW. She and BETTY SANTULIANI became true-blue friends. They still are good friends, even to the extent of cheering together for the boys of Peabody High at both football and hockey games.

After another year had rolled around, we found ourselves in room 205, which was made into another Junior homeroom just for us. Our new Junior Class was so big that we needed more elbow room. Here our class was divided. The only original ones left in our room were BARBARA STEPENUCK, MARY JO SWEENEY, and MARILYN SUDAK. We made new acquaintances very quickly and got right into the swing of things. These three and ANN TEBBETTS thought they were pretty smart when they used the adding machines to add their bookkeeping columns until Miss Sullivan caught them and forbade them to do it any more.

LARRY STONE didn't like the idea of being seated with all the girls, so he always tried to communicate with VICTOR UNHAO who was in the same predicament only across the room from him. If you think hard enough, I'm sure you can remember when it was time for making out the next year's program and SALLY and FRANCES SYLVESTER wanted to have the same subjects at the same time. I wonder why! "United we stand; divided we fall," I guess.

ELAINE TIMSON and DOTTIE WASELCHUCK always had nice long chats about their different beaux. And, did they have a collection! Miss Luz, our homeroom teacher that year, still is in a tizzy from chasing NICK TRACCHIA and BILL TAMBINI around the whole school trying to round them into the homeroom for attendance. BARB and JUANITA URQUART, our silent sisters, never seemed to say much. Perhaps they have memories of what happens out of school, rather than in school. EFFIE XERRAS used to get Miss Luz so mad at times, but she couldn't help laughing when EFFIE made like Jack Benny on her "fiddle", as she called it.

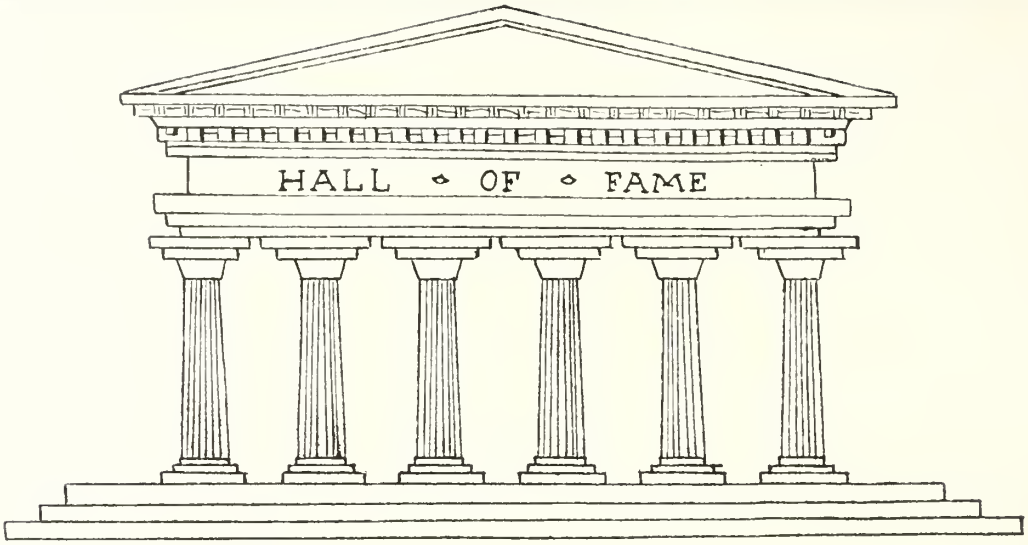
At last it came! Our senior year. Who would ever imagine that only four short years ago we, too were Freshmen envying the Seniors? Mr. Gorman in 105 welcomed us heartily and we found in him not only a wonderful teacher, but a good friend also. 105 was something like a miniature North Station—people always coming in or going out. We had one visitor who was as constant as the rain in springtime. The visitor — SANDY SEABERG; her friend — ALLAN SANGER. Who knows what may come of this friendship!

I've been wondering why ROSEMARIE SILVIA and CHARLOTTE WORSENCROFT don't like Peabody High boys. Could it be for the same reason that Bill and Chet do like Peabody High girls? That must be the answer. LEVERETT STANLEY and STANLEY TUSINSKI kept their modesty all these years. How did they do it? But you know the old saying, "Watch out for the quiet ones." BOB WOOLDRIDGE was elected class treasurer this year.

"I Dream of Jeanie with the Light Brown Hair," is a very beautiful song, isn't it, ROSEMARY? That is why she has been singing it so much lately. HARRY YEE hasn't been feeling well throughout the latter part of this year. Will an A in U.S. History cheer you up? JAY TANZER still has a knack for arguing. He has had some good ones ever since he was a Freshman. Some day we'll probably hear him arguing about women's rights in Congress. Here in 105 RUSTY TSALTAS and Mr. Gorman always had something witty to say to each other. Palsy-walsy friends?? Can you imagine SHIRLEY WOITUNSKI not having a good joke to tell every day? Where does she get them? Well, who cares, just as long as she brightens the day for someone.

BERNIE SHAKTMAN sure has climbed a long ladder of success in his four years at P.H.S. He not only has his own radio program, but also does D.J. work for school activities and other organizations. He's sure to become successful in the years to come. ROGER and RAY SMITH are our class electricians. Although they are not related, they seem to ffihave the same qualities of quietness and liking girls. LEWIS SHAKTMAN seems to be doing very well with the Coast Guard. How about telling US where the mermaids hide, Lew.

Four wonderful years are at an end. The times will change, but we'll never forget the wonderful times we had at P.H.S. Good luck to you all, and may the Lord always bless and keep you.



Most Popular Boy	Tom McNulty
Most Popular Girl	Betty Santuliani
Best Looking Boy	Billy Tambini
Best Looking Girl	Barbara DeVarennes
Best Dressed Boy	Al Gibeley
Best Dressed Girl	AnaBea Gallo
Best Boy Athlete	George Smyrnios
Best Girl Athlete	Ann Farley
Best Natured Boy	David Keane
Best Natured Girl	Marcia Keith
Best Boy Dancer	George Mosse
Best Girl Dancer	Rita Pelletier
Most Versatile Boy	Bernie Shaktman
Most Versatile Girl	Gertie Delp
Most Gentlemanly	Archie Georgiou
Most Ladylike	Marilyn Sudak
Most Argumentative	Jason Tanzer
Most Original Boy	Pete O'Shea
Most Original Girl	AnnMarie Durand
Most Tactful	Ann Bender
Most Serious	Roy Faria
Most Talkative	Pat Kiley
Most Dependable	Kid in the next seat
Most Considerate	Barbara Stepenuck
Most Ambitious	Reeva Gibley
Cutest Girl	Jackie LeBlanc
Class Boss	Bernie Shaktman
Most Likely To Succeed	Bernie Shaktman
Class Song Bird	Jane Doyle
Quietest Boy	Peter Foulkes
Quietest Girl	Shirley Dunn
Nicest Boy	Harry Yee
Nicest Girl	Marie Caten
Neatest Boy	Dan Guthrie
Neatest Girl	Mary Dineen
Wittiest Boy	Rusty Tsaltas
Wittiest Girl	AnnMarie Durand
Did Most For Class (Boy)	Al Gibeley
Did Most For Class (Girl)	Ann Farley
Social Lion	JoAnn Puleo
Most Contagious	Lipstick
Most Vivacious	Mary Koutsos
55's Greatest Need	New School
Most Pleasant Event	Reception
Most Amusing Event	Opening Night of Henrietta VIII (when curtain fell)
Saddest Event	Graduation

CLASS DIARY

"Read my children and you shall peer
Upon the highlights of your high school career
From '51 through '55
Our joy of youth has come alive.
The memories we have shall never die
In our hearts they'll always lie.
The past events, the friendships true
Herewith are recorded for posterity and you.

September 5, 1951—Once again the school bell rang, but this time it summoned us to an unfamiliar structure, known as P.H.S. This year we enter high school as Freshmen wondering what new experiences and friendships will be bestowed upon us during our next four years.

During our Freshman year we spent our time studying, meeting new friends, and enjoying the social life afforded to the Freshman by the Civics Club.

To the Civics Club and their capable adviser, Mr. Arnold, we offer many thanks. It was while being an active member of the club during our Freshman and Sophomore years, that we molded the friendships that were to be enjoyed for four wonderful years.

September 26,—We elected our first formal leaders, the Civics Club Officers. The capable leaders of our first high school year were: Al Gibeley, Vice President; and Leona Gordon, Treasurer.

October 8—The Civics Club sponsored our first social event in the form of a bowling tournament at Metro Bowl. With this enjoyable occurrence our friendships with our new classmates really began to take form.

February 1, 1952—150 members of the Civics Club went ice skating at the Lynn Arena and we all had a grand time!!

February 15—Cupid and his bow and arrow descended on the P.H.S. auditorium as the Civics Club sponsored a dance. Ben Clare provided the music and this night marked the first in a long list of happy dances at our alma mater.

June 4—All the clubs at P.H.S. packed up and went off for a day's outing. We went to Canobie Lake with the Civics Club and boy! did we have fun!

SOPHOMORE

September 3—Again—the sound of the school bells calls us together. This year we return to meet many new friends and to welcome our friends from the "Frosh days."

September 24—We elected our Civics Club officers for the final time. Mr. President was Paul Ruelle, Miss Secretary, Gertie Delp, and Miss Treasurer, Franny Manning.

October 24—The Civics Club sponsored a wonderful Fall Dance to which the whole school turned out to make it a tremendous social and financial success.

February 20—Again the Civics Club made a night of it. We all attended an ice skating party at Lynn Arena. The question was "How many times did YOU fall down?"

June 2—Sunburns and blisters told the story as we trudged home after a wonderful time at Canobie Lake.

JUNIOR

This year, when we returned to high school we considered ourselves upperclassmen. We elected class officers and representatives, governed ourselves in a very democratic manner, and began to realize that we must commence to think about our future.

September 10—Well, this morning the calendar told us it was again time to return to school. It seemed wonderful to be back once more and to see all of our old friends, whom we hadn't seen all summer. I'm sure we all were determined to make this year extremely happy and profitable in every way.

September 23—This morning the biting of fingernails ceased, for the final election returns of Junior Class Officers were posted. We found the lucky officers were: President, Tom McNulty; Vice President, Gertie Delp; Treasurer, Harry Yee; and Secretary, Betty Santuliani. Congratulations kids!

September 24—More elections. Homeroom elections this time. Our representatives were: 108, Henry Caron; 109, Barbara DeVarennes; 110, Albert Gibeley; 201, Evelyn MacKinnon; 203, Bernard Shaktman; 205, Robert Woolridge.

November 6—We, of the Junior Class, sponsored our first social event of our school year. With the music of Dick Hingston's Orchestra and the colorful decorations, the Junior Jive was a complete success.

November 19—"Third finger, left hand." You guessed it. We finally realized that we were upperclassmen as we were measured for our class rings.

December 4—The highlight of the Christmas social season arrived, The Christmas Ball. For the majority of us, it was our first formal dance. The crowning of our king and queen proved to be the highlight of the evening. Irene Chouinard was chosen queen and her escort, Al Gibeley was crowned king.

The Junior Class elected Pat Curtin, Al Gibeley, and Bob Cagan to represent our high school at the annual Boys' nad Girls' State Convention held at University of Massachusetts and Bridgewater State Teachers College respectively.

May 17—Students of P.H.S. were gifted with the most unusual vacation ever. I regret to say it was at the expense of many, many dollars to the business of our city. The dam burst and the water came pouring into the center of our city flooding everything. School sessions were suspended for several days. Will we ever forget it?

May 22—At last came the highlight of the social life of a Junior, our own Junior Prom. With the gym decorated as an old Kentucky plantation, it must have been the loveliest of all Junior Proms. Charming Katherine Dakos was chosen Queen and her escort, dashing George Katsarakes was King. When we are old and gray, we shall always happily remember our own first prom.

June 4—Today was outing day. All junior members of the Glee Club, Dramatic Guild, and the other organizations enjoyed a day of fun at Nantasket.

SENIOR YEAR

September 8—Yes, the day has arrived once more, when we must again return to school. This is it — our Senior Year.

September 22—Final elections were held and suspense and anxiety reigned until the votes were tabulated and results posted. The new Senior Class Officers were: President, Tom McNulty; Vice President, Ann Farley; Treasurer, Bob Wooldridge; and Secretary, Betty Santuliani.

Our homeroom representatives were: 101, Henry Caron; 102, AnaBea Gallo; 103, Bob Marttila; 104, Shirley Nimblett; 105, Rae Snow.

October 15—The annual Senior Barn Dance was a tremendous success despite our uninvited guest "Hazel the Hurricane." We danced to the music of Lou Marino amidst a galaxy of Fall color.

October 28—Newspaper headlines read "Time Magazine Selects P.H.S. Cheerleaders for Cover Girls." Will Barb DeVarennes, Barb Moore, and Betty Santuliani ever forget it?

November 5—Our annual Salem game cheering assembly. Could we ever forget that weekend? The rally, the assembly, the parade after our sensational victory, 20-7?

November 10—The Observer Staff presented its annual assembly under the capable direction of Emcee Bernard Shaktman. Our guest speaker was Swede Nelson who thrilled his audience with his many amazing experiences.

December 2—As Seniors we were measured for our caps and gowns. Sadly these outfits have become a thing of the past.

December 8—Tom McNulty was elected to represent our school at Good Government Day to be held in Boston later in the year.

December 10—Our auditorium was made into a fantasma of beautiful colors as the Senior Class presented the first formal of the year. The highlite of the evening was the crowning of Queen Joann Puleo and her escort George Smyrnios. Attendants to the beautiful queen were: Anne Cuddire, Betty Santuliani, Rae Snow, Jackie LeBlanc, Ana Bea Gallo, and Charlotte Worsencroft.

December 23 and *January* 4—Christmas Vacation. Our gym was transferred into a beautiful auditorium as the city saw fit to adorn it with fresh paint. Thanks to those responsible for a wonderful job.

January 19—A singular honor was bestowed upon Marie Caton, elected to be recipient of the Daughters of American Revolution Good Citizen Pilgrimage Pin for dependability, leadership, and patriotism.

February 11—Cupid with his bow descended on the auditorium as the Senior Class held its final informal dance of the year. Bernie Shaktman spun the platters for us and I might add the dance was a tremendous social and financial success.

April 18—At the annual assembly at which honor graduates are designated, the long awaited information was released to anxious and deserving Seniors. Ann Bender is our Valedictorian and her erstwhile chum, Leona Gordon is the Salutatorian of the Class of 1955. To round out the inseparable quartet of close friends, Mr. Barry announced that Patricia Shoer and Ruth Shoer would be the third and fourth speakers. Lois Amaral, Robert Cagan, Ann Marie Durand and MaryJo Sweeney are also to graduate with high honors.

To graduate with honors are: Patricia Curtin, Chrisoula Fillis, Achilles Georgiou, Reeva Gibley, Mary Koutsos, William Maistrellis, Mary O'Sullivan, Rita Pelletier, Christine Sargent, Sandra Seaberg, Bernard Shaktman and Ann Tebbets. Congratulations kids! Well done!

April 21, 22—Our Senior Revue, "Fun and Fantasy" was a howling success. We had a packed house on both evenings. What a show Mrs. Conley and her friend Miss Armstrong can produce! And what talent there is in that '55 class!

June 7—Our auditorium was transformed into a magnificent dining room as we Seniors enjoyed a wonderfully catered dinner, sparkling entertainment, and the delightful company of our honored guests. Yes, the Class Banquet of 1955 will indeed be recorded deeply in our memories.

June 12—As each graduate received his diploma before the vast throng assembled in Leo Buckley Stadium, all the events of his high school life passed before him. The day had arrived, Graduation Day, 1955.

June 14—The style of the evening — tuxedoes and gowns. The place — The New Ocean House. The event — our Senior Prom and Reception. Under the glittering sky we gathered together as the class of '55 for the final time. The roads of the future now lie before us; the dusty paths of the past remain, only in memory. Our high school days have now concluded and in one of our few quiet moments, we must realize what a wonderful life we have had in our short stay at P.H.S.

CLASS

PROPHECY

"Giblee Clothiers, America's foremost men's clothing chain, presents televisions newest surprise program, "IS THIS YOUR LIFE?" originating live from the Hub of the Universe, Boston, Massachusetts. While our master of ceremonies is mingling among the audience gathered for tonight's premier broadcast, we switch controls to the North Lobby of Boston Garden, where DAN GUTHRIE, head designer of Giblee Clothes is ready to interview some of the people responsible for the great success of the Giblee firm . . . "

"We know that you're all very anxious to meet the clothing tycoon, Mr. AL GIBELEY, who is responsible for the new trend in men's clothing."

"Why, thank you, Dan. It certainly is a pleasure to be here tonite."

"Tell us, Mr. Gibeley, who are some of the other people responsible for the success of your firm?"

"Standing beside me is my girl Friday, LOIS AMARAL. With her are four more of my office staff, JUDY REILY, ANNA GIBBONS, CAROL CRAIG, and PAT DALTON."

"I'd like to call before the cameras now three of the dynamic sales force who have brought the Giblee product before the public eye -RUSTY TSALTAS, JOHN DOUGLAS, and PETE O'SHEA."

"Well, Dan, I'm just as anxious as everyone else to find out who our special guest is tonite, so what say we go inside."

"We now switch you to BERNIE SHAKTMAN, better-known to his audiences as Alf Redwood. Take it away, Alf. . . . . "

"Here we are in the audience looking for tonight's subject. I wonder who it will be ? ? ? There are so many celebrities here this evening. Pardon me, sir, aren't you GEORGE SMYRNIOS, picked as the outstanding athlete of the year? And this must be your lovely wife, JO-ANN."

"Hi everybody! Hey, Winky, wake up and say hello to the folks."

"And sitting next to George is "WINKY" MOSSE, manager of the Boston Red Sox. Now let's move a few rows up where we see the famous flying team of Captains DULAVITZ and FLEMING. How does it feel to set the speed record from New York to Paris?"

"It feels wonderful. While we were there we were guests of the Rem-Gan Hotel chain."

"Isn't that owned by BURT REMIS and BOB CAGAN?"

"Yes, it is and it was like old home week seeing many of our old pals again. You remember that brain ANN BENDER? Well, now she's head chambermaid of the Rem-Gan Hotel in Paris. Admiral WILLIAM PROKOPOVICH is now naval attache at Paris and he threw a tremendous party for us. Paris night club singer JANE DOYLE entertained with some French selections. Also on the entertainment program were the Bob Brooks Trio, led by guitarist BROOKS, CLAIRE MORRISON, and PETER FOULKES."

It's been very nice talking to you. And whom have we here? Why it's Professor RONALD ALLEN, chief physicist at M.I.T. with his charming secretary BARBARA URQUHART. Next to him is the noted surgeon ACHILLES GEORGIOU, who has been named chief surgeon at the new Boston Memorial Orthopedic Hospital, and he is accompanied by his indispensable physio-therapist CHARLENE JULIEN. Up a few rows is the Governor of Massachusetts, his honor THOMAS McNULTY, with his political adviser, STEWART APPLEBAUM. Governor McNulty, during his whole political life and especially as Governor, has compiled one of the most glorious lists of achievements ever before witnessed in the United States. Governor McNulty, will you please step up to our stage?"

"Why Alf, IS THIS MY LIFE??"

"Yes, Tom McNulty, THIS IS YOUR LIFE." "You were born and brought up in Peabody, Massachusetts, where you attended Peabody High School. Among your high school cronies, many of whom we have already seen tonight, are the renowned BOB WOOLDRIDGE, President of Sporting Goods, Inc., and JIM GREVELIS, former All-American basketball player, now general manager of Sporting Goods, Inc. Now here is the girl who shared your administrative worries during your senior year in high school when you were Class President and she was Secretary, BETTY SANTULIANI, owner of the famous LIANI Model Agency. With her to grace our stage are six of her prettiest models, ANN TEBBETTS, PATRICIA CURTIN, GERRY ROCHE, JERRY DAVIS, ELAINE TIMSON, and JUNE GRUNTKO-

SKY. And here, coming through our magic doorway is one of Liani's former models, the present Mrs. McNulty, RAE SNOW. The story of your high school life wouldn't be complete without mentioning the hockey team of which you were captain and your teammates, DON BOYCE and ROGER SMITH, who have both continued their illustrious careers and are now mainstays of the Boston Bruins. Many pleasant memories of your football career must always remain with you. To help you recall these memories are your teammates: WILLIAM MAISTRELLIS, now one of the foremost men in the field of cancer research; CHARLES ANGELAKIS, president of the K and K Trucking Co.; HENRY CARON, who has made "Caron's Diner" a nation wide symbol of good food; NICK TRACCHIA, construction expert for the U.S. Government; and last, but not least, three teammates who have also played a great part in furthering your political career, your campaign manager, "Timid" TOM KRISKO; your body guard, WALLY BROWN; and your publicity manager, "Jovial" JIM MORAN."

"Even though the next few years found you in college, you still kept in contact with your old friends. After all, none could be cuter to date than the Peabody girls! You saw a lot of ANABEA GALLO and MARY DINEEN, that incredible duo who have risen to fame as hair stylists. Among their assistants are NANCY ELLIOTT and HELEN SOBOCZINSKI, who have collaborated on the style that has upset the nation, the "POODLE-PONY CUT," modeled here by MARCIA ERLICH. Other girls whose numbers were included in your little black book (oh yes, we even found that!) were ANN FARLEY, now physical education teacher at Peabody high school and GERTIE DELP, Nobel Peace Prize winner for her missionary work in the Far East. Of course, let's not forget your male companions, HARV ERLICH and STAN TUSINSKI, accomplished commercial artists working for the firm headed by the versatile BARBARA DEVARENNES.

When your college days were over you realized that your ambition lay in the field of politics and you began your career as councilor in your home town of Peabody. Sitting on the city council with you were AL LAMPERT, STEVE KOWALSKI, and her honor, PATRICIA SHOER, the Mayor. You'll never forget the Mayor's office staff which consisted of LAURIE NIMS and MARIE FOURNIER. Oh those secretaries! Some of the other city officials at that time were Superintendent of Schools, CHARLES O'SHEA, city purchasing agent, CHARLES KELLY, and city clerk, RUTH KANKALO. From the city council it was on to the State House, as you represented District 11. It was at this point in your career that you took the great plunge and made Rae your wife. It was a beautiful wedding. ROY FARIA, your best man, now counsel for the U.S. Army, almost forgot the ring. Lovely as bridesmaids and still lovely to their husbands are CHARLOTTE WORSENCROFT, CARMIE CAIRES, and BARBARA MOORE.

During your illustrious career you were originator of the Peabody Electronics Bill, authorizing the state to establish a new electronic research commission in your own home town. Appointed to this commission were RAY SMITH, chairman, LARRY STONE, LEVERETT STANLEY, and DAVID MOODY. It was, in the dentists' chair one day, that you renewed your acquaintance with JAY TANZER, accomplished dentist, whose political foresight has been invaluable to you. His efficient nurse, ROSEMARIE SILVIA, persuaded him to take a leave of absence from his practice to become your "power behind the throne." Your accomplishments in your many terms as representative were limitless. Your wise nomination of JOHN MICHAUD, LEWIS SHAKTMAN, and BERNIE GELOTTI, renowned automotive designers, as heads of an M.T.A. Transportation Commission, solved the problem of the deplorable transportation facilities of the City of Boston.

It was in your third term as state representative that you were blessed with the birth of your first child. Famed child psychologist, MARCIA KEITH willingly gave of her services so that your child might have every educational advantage. Backing your candidacy for governor, in the year 19[illegible], were such reputable business men as RONALD DZIERZANOWSKI and NICHOLAS MOSKEVITCH, co-owners of WPHS, an affiliate of the National Broadcasting Company. I'm sure you remember, Tom, the time you were interviewed by MARY JO SWEENEY, WPHS's chief woman commentator on her "Go, Go, with Mary Jo Show." While you were at the WPHS Studios you bumped into PAT PANTAPAS, animal trainer for MARTTILA BROTHERS, BABIARZ AND BELLIVEAU CIRCUS and BARBARA STEPENUK, famed for her delightful show "Tomorrow", seen every tomorrow at 9:00 A.M. Other backers of your candidacy were: WILLIAM DANIELS and GREGORY KLIBANSKY, eminent chemists; the foremost criminologist, RUTH SHOER; and noted gossip columnists PAT DOOLEY of the EVANS-SHEEHAN Syndicate and CHRIS FILLIS of the Hollywood Journal. When your publicity man, Jim Moran went to Hollywood to formulate plans with Chris, he found that many of your friends out there were rooting for you. Jim stayed at the home of gracious ANNE CUDDIRE and PAUL RUELLE, famed Hollywood husband and wife team. NANCY GARZONE stopped off on her way to her audition at Columbia Records to send you her best wishes through Jim. At Columbia she was trying out for a job as accordian accompanist to LEONA GORDON, whose voice has been called the "newest new sound." A&R man at Columbia, JOHN MICHALLSYN, promised that he'd make a tape recording of your victory speech. (Pretty confident wasn't he?) Soon Jim had to leave the golden Pacific, but his return trip was made most enjoyable by his acquaintance with the charming airline stewardess, TERRY TRAINOR.

Soon the day of your triumph came and you were elected Governor. Upon the news of your victory you received congratulatory telegrams from all over the world. From ANN MARIE DURAND, sweetheart of the Air Force, currently touring air force bases in Africa, you received your first telegram. Soon followed hundreds of other messages. Those most remembered were from EVELYN MACKINNON, noted Parisienne designer; MARIA REGIS, who had just swum the English Channel in record time; MARY O'SULLIVAN, head-mistress of the Boston Commercial School; CAROL ATKINSON, charming wife of famed Lord Cottonbatten of England; and from the wilds of West Peabody came a telegram from gentleman-farmer, DONALD BURKE.

The Inauguration Ball was the next highlight of your life. Held at the ultra-modern Bettenbrought Hotel, the managers of this new hostelry, FRANK BETTENCOURT and ROBERT BROUGHTON went all out to produce an evening "right out of paradise" for you. The maitre d'hote, LARRY CAREY, planned the seating arrangement at the mammoth horseshoe table, and the vivacious hostess for the evening, PRISCILLA ANDERSON, had all her staff at their very best.

Waiting to greet Rae and yourself upon your arrival was a multitude of your friends and well-wishers gathered inside the gorgeous Blue and White main ballroom. BERNIE CARPENTER, your chauffeur, drove you right to the front door where you were immediately escorted into the lobby by ROBERT CARTER and ROBERT HERLIHY, two close friends of yours who have made successful careers for themselves in the Pentagon. In the lobby your eyes gazed upon

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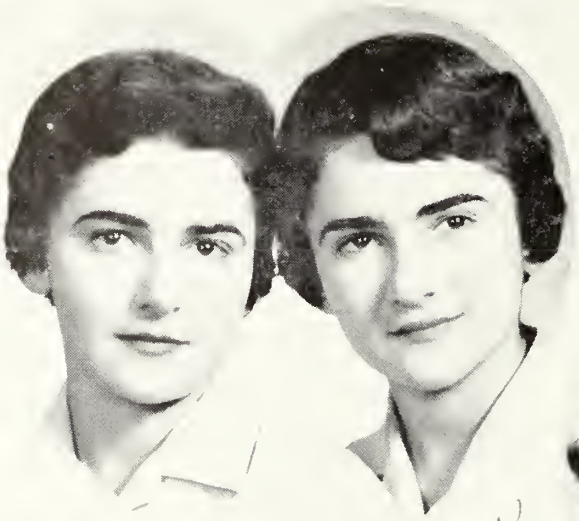

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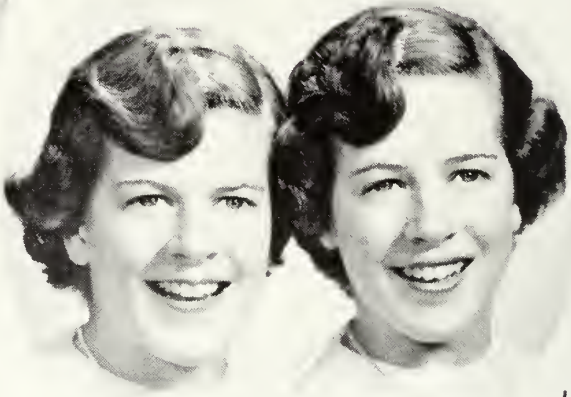

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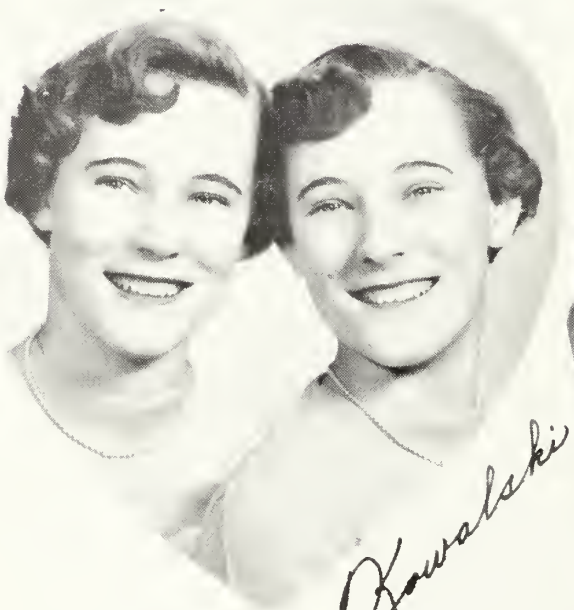

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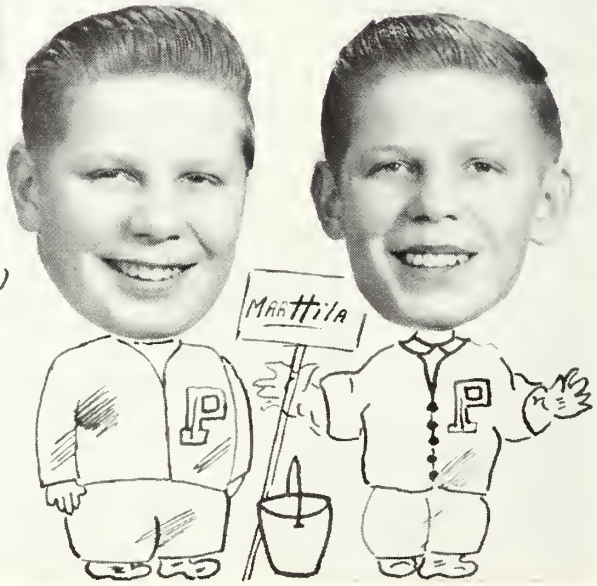


such famous people as LORRAINE LEBREUX, noted horsewoman, who is the owner of the "Lucky 55" Stables. Escorting her was LEO MCCAFFREY, who had, that year, won the Masters Golf Tournament at Augusta, Georgia. Noted dental surgeon, GEORGE KATSARAKES escorted his lovely nurse PATRICIA GREEHY. Representing the military, were ADMIRAL JOHN MCCARTHY and his wife, SHIRLEY NIMBLETT, whom he met while on a flying mission to Formosa, when Shirley was the U.S. Navy stewardess on his plane; and GENERAL JOHN HIGGINS, U.S. Army, and his attractive missus, FRANCES MUSE, who also doubles as the General's secretary. From the entertainment world came many of your close friends, such as RITA PELLETIER, newest membert of the Ballet Russe and her fiancee, DAVID KEANE, advertising magnate. That popular singing duo, ALLAN SANGER and his lovely partner (and wife), SANDY SEABERG were seen waving to you from the top of the staircase. ANN NOLAN, famous producer of serious dramatic shows, was there with her newest discovery, PAUL DAVIDSON, called the next Brando.

As you slowly moved through the throng into the ballroom you saw the flash of a camera and behind it, the familiar face of GERRY RENNICK, news photographer for the Herald. He was there with social columnist of the Herald, PATRICIA KILEY, who was "working", as she was covering the Ball. From the Associated Press came JEANETTE MCDONALD, who became famous for her coverage of the gambling rackets in Las Vegas. She uncovered the true facts concerning the charge by VICTOR UNHAO, millionaire engineer of Chrysler Corporation, that WALTER EMERY and VIRGINIA MELLO, co-owners of the Golden Girl Casino, ran rigged gambling tables. Her diligent reporting proved that everything at the Golden Girl was on the "up and up."

After being seated at the head of the horseshoe, you sat back and viewed the people seated on all sides of you. MISS MARY BALDASSARE, who now resides in her original home in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, was seated a few chairs to your left with steel tycoon, JOHN KLEMCZUK. Next to them was SALLY SYLVESTER and her husband who was recently chosen as best dressed man in America HARRY YEE, Wall Street financier, and his charming wife were seated next to them. Across the table from Harry were the SARGENT girls, ANNE and CHRIS, and believe it or not, they did it!! Yes they married twin brothers, who, by the way, are renowned silk manufacturers. Placed to their right was MARY KOUTSOS, wife of a wealthy Cuban coffee dealer. BILL TAMBINI, designer for the Jan-Con Automotive Corporation, famous European automobile company, was next to Mary with his wife APHRODITE XERRAS, once famous concert violinist, now just plain Mrs. T. The Jan-Con Corporation is unique in being owned and operated by the only known woman executives in the automobile industry, JANET LENDALL and CONNIE GEANOULIS. Much of the success of this new, fresh-thinking corporation is owed to two other people, who were also seated along that table, MARILYN SUDAK, public relations director and SHIRLEY DUNN, office head.

Immediately beside Rae was lovely MARY MORONEY and her husband, and next to you, Tom, was gorgeous NATALIE DEVARENNES, successful woman author, escorted by the young publisher, EDWARD KOHUT. Throughout the glorious evening you were delighted by the entertainment of former friends such as SID RUBINSTEIN, the world's funniest straight man; REEVA GIBLEY, star dancer at Blinstrub's Village; and the musical background was provided by the newest Jazz sensation, the Rich Codair Band, owned by DICK PRENDIBLE and featuring the fabulous RICHIE CODAIR at the drums. During the evening you were introduced to many of the girls who were to compose your office staff in the State House. The KOWALSKI SISTERS, PAT and JOAN, who are in charge of your appointment calendar were there, as were EILZABETH MUISE and ARLENE COOK, your stenographers. Your receptionist, who has been so important in the operation of your daily routine, TONI RABCHENUK introduced you to CAROL RENAUD, who was to be your personal switchboard operator.

The Lieutenant Governor-elect, JOHN GUZOWSKI, whose former secretary, PHYLLIS REGALI is now his wife, was one of the many government men in attendance. Attorney General-re-elect, WILLIAM GLENCROSS, a bachelor escorted MISS JACQUELINE LEBLANC, young debutante. Other Debs escorted by their dashing beaux were KATHERINE DAKOS and MARIE CATON. As the evening was drawing to a close and the crowd was beginning to leave the hotel, ELIZABETH PITCHER, the courageous doctor, who, representing the American Red Cross, fought the malaria epidemic in Venezuela, slowly made her way to your seat and congratulated you on your success. As you exited from the ballroom and entered the lobby you heard the shout of "Good luck, Tom," come from the direction of the register. There, was the familiar personage of PAT LEVESQUE, who was the telephone operator for the Hotel, AL NEWHALL, doorman, opened the door for you and shook your hand as you were leaving. Much to your surprise, a huge crowd was gathered outside in the street despite the lateness of the hour and Lieutenant WAYNE CRONIN of the Boston Police Department had all he could do to control them. His two sergeants, RICHARD "DINKER" RIORDAN and TED BOCKNICK, were doing their best to keep traffic moving. Running toward you, in their white uniforms were ROSEMARY WALSH, SHIRLEY WOITUNSKI, and SHIRLEY SCARNEIGIE, three nurses at City Hospital, who couldn't attend the Ball because they had to audition for the television program "MEDIC."

As you entered your limousine, you heard over the tumult, the familiar voices of FRANCES MANNING and FRANCES SYLVESTER, "on the town" broadcasters, who were giving the latest social news which, of course, included your Inauguration Ball. Their special guests were the Hi Life Quartet, smart supper club entertainers, composed of SHIRLEY BAKER, MILDRED BROLEWICZ, JUANITA URQUHART, and FLORENCE MAFLEY, who sang "Melody of Love" in your honor. And, as your car pulled away onto the open highway, you put your arm around the new "first lady of the state" and for the first time that evening, you actually were relaxed and by yourself.

Yes, Tom there is a brief account of the wonderful moments, and personal highlights of your exciting, successful life. Your friends, most of whom we saw or mentioned this evening will bear witness to the fact that you have never forgotten those who have been kind to you, and, I'm sure, the many people to whom you have been so kind and generous will never forget you. Thomas McNulty, Governor of Massachusetts, a man who was taught in his early high school years the meaning of friendship and honesty and lived by these teachings throughout his life, along with all those who have been a part of your many experiences — THIS IS YOUR LIFE.

CLASS WILL

WE THE GRADUATING CLASS OF NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIVE (1955), being of sound body and particularly of sound mind, do here publish our last will and testament. We bequeath to the Class of Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-six the hopes, and happiness that the Senior Year holds.

Hereby the respective members of our class do devise their various and treasured possessions:

To Thomas Cavanaugh, Ronnie Allen leaves his cherished slide rule.

Jimmie Grevelis leaves his basketball prowess to the already talented Connie" Theokas.

Lucky Bob Gregory receives Al Gibeley's striking "cat" clothes.

Pat Kiley bequeathes to Gloria Erlich her talkative manner.

Betty Santuhani gives her deserved popularity to Joyce Cronin, and with it the duties of being Class Secretary.

So that the Meta and Observer will continue to contain works of art, Bob Cagan and Gertie Delp leave their talent with the brush to Fay Gibeley.

To anyone with perseverance and talent, Bill Maistrellis gives his proof that brains and brawn are definitely compatible.

Though Mary Dineen and Ana Bea Gallo insist on keeping their wonderful friendship, they have consented to leave a little of it to "Chris" Papoulas and Gloria Sellios.

To Sally Freedman, Rita Pelletier leaves her talented, "twinkling toes".

And Tom McNulty announces that the heir to his winning personality and popularity is none other than Kenny Mowbray.

After arguing with Jason Tanzer for more than an hour, we convinced him to leave some of his jocularity to "Pappy" Pappageorge.

Miss Natalie Devarennes very graciously bestows her sweetness on Miss Judy Ellison.

Ann Tehbetts leaves her attractiveness to Catherine Murphy.

Generous Henry Caron bequeaths his super build to Charles Atlas.

Little Jane Flanagan is very fortunate to inherit the gentleness of Ann Sargent.

John Michaud leaves his Salem girl friends to any boy clever enough to step in at the right moment.

Lois Amaral, Carmie Caires, Pat Curtin, Betty Santuliani, Barbara DeVarennes, Barbara Moore, Rae Snow, Shirley Nimblett and Gertie Delp leave their well-worn and beloved "Tanner" uniforms to next year's lucky cheerleaders.

Bob Maney will never have a dull moment, for he is heir to the hilarious clowning of Roger O'Shea.

To Mary Anderson, Kay Dakos has bequeathed her vibrant beauty.

And Billy Tambini leaves his handsomeness to Ronald Sheehan.

Our very talented Reeva Gibley leaves SUCCESS to anyone who has the courage and will to pursue that elusive word.

"Kiki" Cokoragianis is the lucky heir to Marcia Keith's very nice manner.

To any and all future Lindberghs, Andy Dulavitz leaves his great love for airplanes and aeronautics.

The red hair of Priscilla Anderson has found a new home in the person of Marilyn Finnegan.

Our treasurer, Bob Wooldridge, leaves his unassuming, yet likable manner to Arthur Pappathanasi.

Elizabeth Muse kindly gives her sunny smile to Barbara Greehy.

The hockey team of 1956 will be indeed fortunate, for Roger Smith leaves his skill on the ice to Burt Lippa.

Cute Jackie LeBlanc gives her petiteness to Judy Foss.

To Community Audition's winner Ralph Jenkins, Stewart Applebaum leaves his talent at the piano keys. This surely means success to Ralph in the coming years.

Burt Remis bequeaths his valuable "putter" to golf ace, Ken Johnson.

Harvey Erlich refuses to leave his suaveness to anyone—he insists that he needs it himself.

Sure an Mary O'Sullivan leaves her good old Irish name to colleen Mary McCarthy.

And vivacious Marie Caton gives to Judy Berry her wonderful personality.

To all our teachers, helpers, and advisors, we leave many wonderful memories of four happy years at P.H.S. May you always remember the "Class of "55".

PEABODY HIGH SCHOOL

Athletics

In Memoriam

On the morning of May 12, 1955, the students and faculty of Peabody High School were deeply shocked and saddened to learn of the sudden and untimely death of John E. Burke. As a member of the P. H. S. faculty since 1923, "Jack" Burke had constantly been regarded as a capable educator and a generous adviser. As administrator of Peabody High School's athletics for thirty-two years, he was recognized as a sincere worker whose main concern was "his boys."

John E. Burke graduated from Boston College in 1915, and made the decision to dedicate his life to education and athletics. Known as an outstanding college football official, he officiated at many of New England's "big games." Yet, in his own mind, his main concern was the advancement of interscholastic athletics. He was the "Father" of the Massachusetts Interscholastic Golf Tourney and in appreciation for his untiring work, a "John E. Burke Trophy," has been established which is presented annually to the outstanding high school golf team in the Commonwealth. He was the prime factor in the organization of the current Essex County Baseball and Basketball leagues; and has, in different years, served as President and Secretary of those leagues. During this time he was instrumental in bringing Peabody High School to the front in all forms of high school competition. Recently the Athletic Directors throughout Massachusetts, because of their great faith in his ability, elected him to organize the Massachusetts Athletic Director's Association.

Of Mr. Burke, we can proudly say that no one man has dedicated so much of his life aiding high school athletics and the boys who participated in them. His steady work in improving facilities for the safety of high school athletics, and his unheralded efforts in aiding graduates for their future lives shall never be forgotten. To his family, we may only say that a man who has done so much for so many shall always have an irreplacable position in our memories. We, the Class of '55 pay humble tribute to John E. Burke — while living, a man among men; now, a man with God.

FOOTBALL

John Bezemes, Head Coach; Edward Donahue, Louis Surman, Angie Nicketakis

Left to right: Richard Marttila, William Maistrellis, Andrew Dulavitz, William Prokopovich, Nicholas Tracchia, Walter Brown, George Smyrnios, Coach, John Bezemes, Thomas McNulty, Henry Caron, Thomas Krisko, Charles Angelakis, James Moran, Coach, Edward Donahue.

CAPTAIN GEORGE SMYRNIOS—

A credit to his coaches and teachers, George will long be remembered by his teammates for his excellent attributes of sportsmanship, leadership, and his ardent spirit to win.

BILLY PROKOPOVICH—

Every athletic team must have a man like "Proko". His humor, good naturedness, and unsung ability endeared him to his teammates.

JAMES MORAN—

Jimmy's stamina and ever-present spirit exemplifies the importance of the "small" man in football.

THOMAS McNULTY—

"Nails", being the peacemaker of the squad, insured cooler heads to prevail on the field and made everyone realize the essence of sportsmanship.

ANDY DULAVITZ—

The "54" team will always echo the cry "Dula Dula" to Andy's all around fight and ever-improving football talent.

WALTER BROWN—

"Wally", a fine sportsman, and an ardent competitor, will always be remembered by his teammates for his outstanding willingness to help others.

NICK TRACCHIA—

An outstanding all around athlete, on the "54" squad, Nick served as a spark to ignite fine teamwork.

HENRY CARON—

Henry will long be remembered by his teammates as the hard driving fullback. His exceptional punting ability, earned him recognition throughout the North Shore.

TOM KRISKO—

Tommy's characteristic traits of courage, doggedness, and sincerity mad him a true comrade to all the members of the squad.

CHARLES ANGELAKIS—

One of this year's outstanding linemen, "Angie" displayed such courageous football "know how" against overwhelming competition that he emphatically proved his mettle as a man.

WILLIAM MAISTRELLIS—

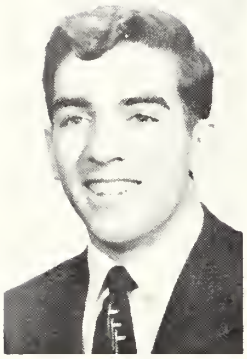
Winner of the Scholastic-Athletic Award, Bill proved that an accomplished athlete can also be a successful scholar.

RICHARD MARTTILA—

Win or lose, "Marty" was our reliable pal. To our manager, we the Peabody High School football squad are very grateful.

BASKETBALL

William Cronin, Head Coach; Edward Donahue



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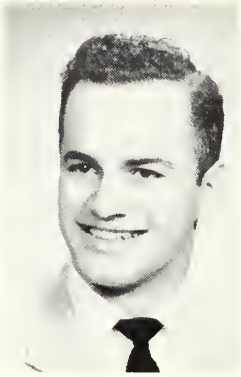

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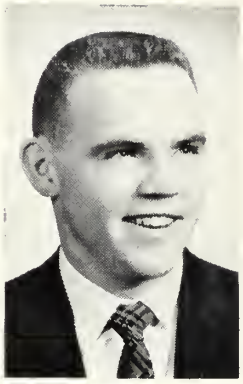
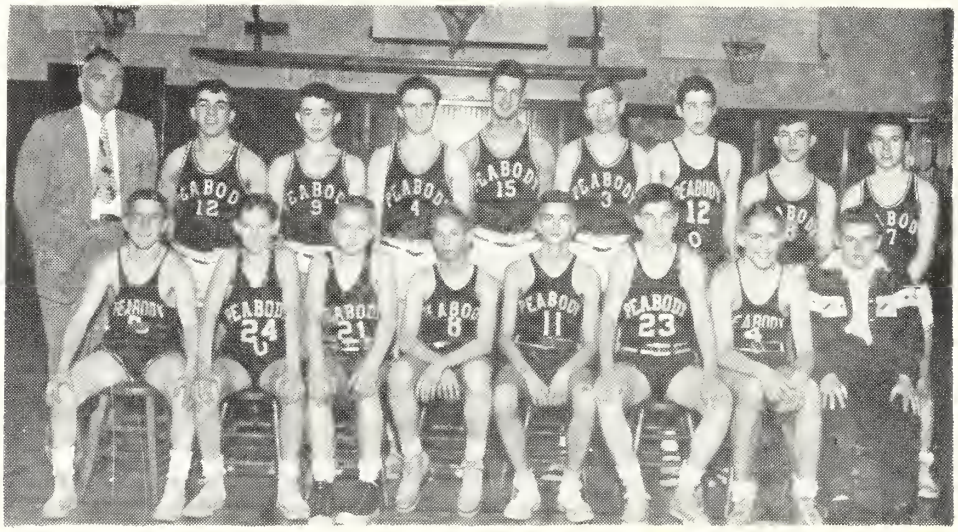


JAMES MORAN

The 1955 season was truly a building year for the Peabody High School Basketeers. Winning but one league game, the Cronin-coached team was definitely planning for the future with a good nucleus of Sophomores composing the varsity squad. Led by Captain-elect "Con" Theokas, the Tanners plan for a banner year in 1956.

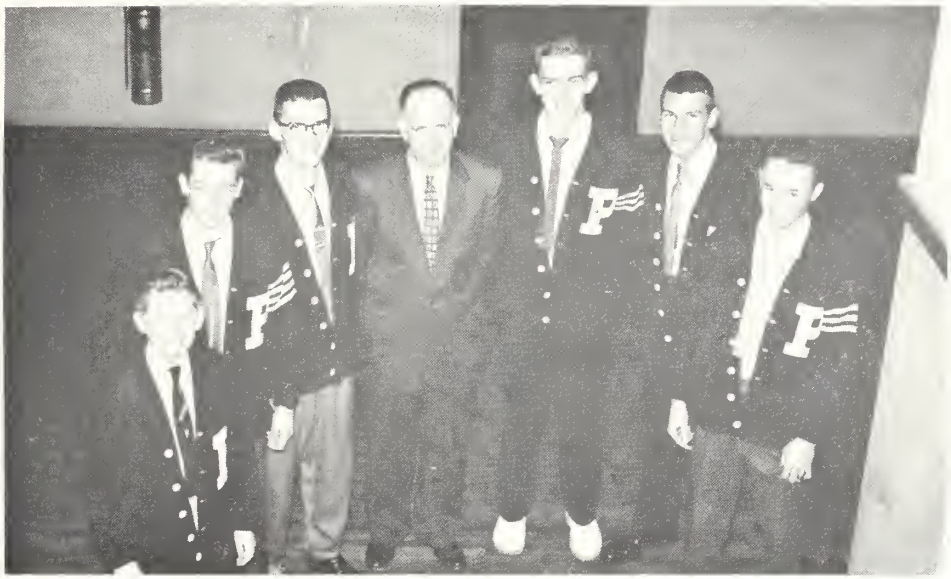
Captain James Grevelis, Jim Moran and Charles Angelakis were the only lettermen and Seniors on the team, and their steady guidance and generous efforts were good indications of their training in the classroom and on the basketball court at Peabody High School.



Top row: Coach W. Cronin, C. Angelakis, C. Speliotis, R. Paul, P. Galaris, W. Bellaconis, E. Callahan, S. Mantsourani, H. Velez. Front row: R. Enos, J. Bryant, C. Jones, K. Blake, N. Maistrellis R. Feeney, J. Stavropolous, E. Kipouras, Mgr.

HOCKEY

Charles Carlin, Coach



Left to Right Robert Marttila, Roger Smith, Richard Prendible, Coach Charles J. Carlin, Thomas McNulty, Ronald Dzierzanowski, Donald Boyce.

CAPTAIN TOM McNULTY -

A spirited, sincere leader, "Nails" was instrumental in the Tanner's gaining a playoff berth.

DICK PRENDIBLE -

Hampered with illness early in the season, Dick, upon his return, sparked the team to a successful season.

DON BOYCE—

One of the league's top scoring threats. Don's outstanding ability and courage certainly earned him the "All Star" label.

RONALD DZIERZANOWSKI—

Dizzy, undoubtedly one of the team's most improved players, had his finest season wearing the blue and white colors.

TED BOCKNICK -

A fine defenseman, possessing one of the greatest shots in the league, Ted climaxed two years of steady, untiring efforts on the ice for Peabody High School.

ROGER SMITH -

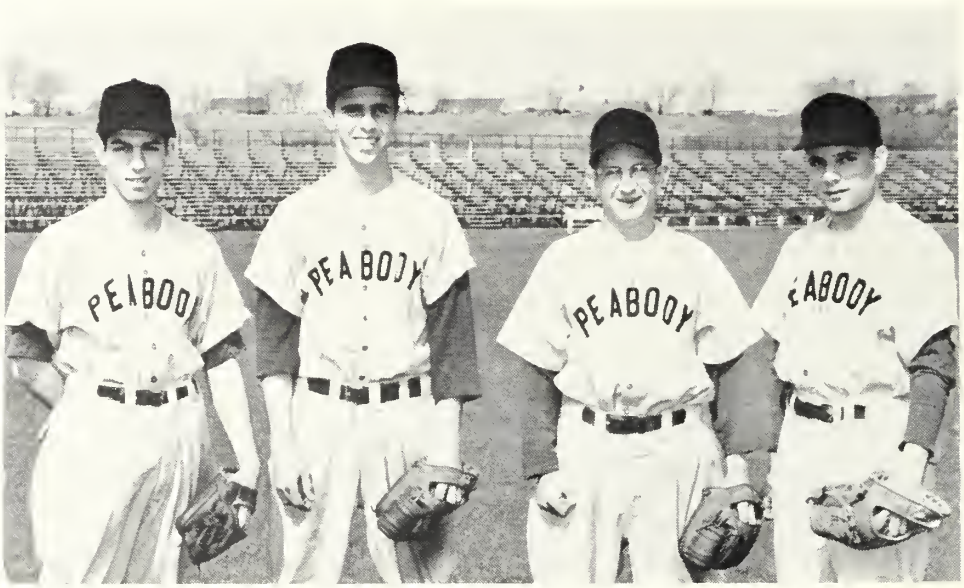
"Snuffy", a real all-around performer, was the team's greatest scorer and finished fourth highest in the league.

ROBERT MARTTILA—

An extremely efficient manager who was also the team's morale builder. The Peabody High School hockey squad will always remember him for his untiring efforts.

BASEBALL

John Bezemes, Head Coach; Edward Donahue



SENIOR BASEBALL PLAYERS

Al Gibeley, Bob Wooldridge, George Mosse, Bernie Shaktman.

Unable to record any achievements of the "55" Baseball team at this writing, we may only look to what "may happen." With six regulars from last year's team, Coach Bezemes is looking optimistically toward this coming Essex County League campaign. Coach Bezemes can count on Danny Sullivan and Lou Roumeliotis, both Juniors, to bear the brunt of the pitching chores. Bob Wooldridge and Captain Winky Mosse combine to give the Tanners as fine a keystone combination as can be found in the league. Al Gibeley and Bernie Shaktman, center and right field respectively, should give Peabody a good nucleus for a potent outfield.

But no matter what the outcome of the season may be, the four senior members of the Tanner's baseball squad can be proud of a job well done. Donning a Peabody uniform for the last time will be: Captain George Mosse, Robert Wooldridge, Albert Gibeley, and Bernard Shaktman.

TRACK

Thomas McCarthy

With six returning lettermen to holster his squad, Coach Tom McCarthy is looking forward to his most successful track season. Captain George Smyrnios, leading dash runner in the state and Dave Keane, lead man on the crack relay team are the sparks of "55's" cinder stars. Bob Cagan and Joe Fleming, three year veterans, join veteran Jim Moran to form a speedy trio which should capture many first place medals this year. Bob Broughton, a surprisingly polished runner is counted on to lead the Tanners to victory in the 440.

"Breaking the tape" for their final race at P.H.S. are Captain George Smyrnios, David Keane, Joseph Fleming, Robert Cagan, James Moran, and Robert Broughton.

GOLF

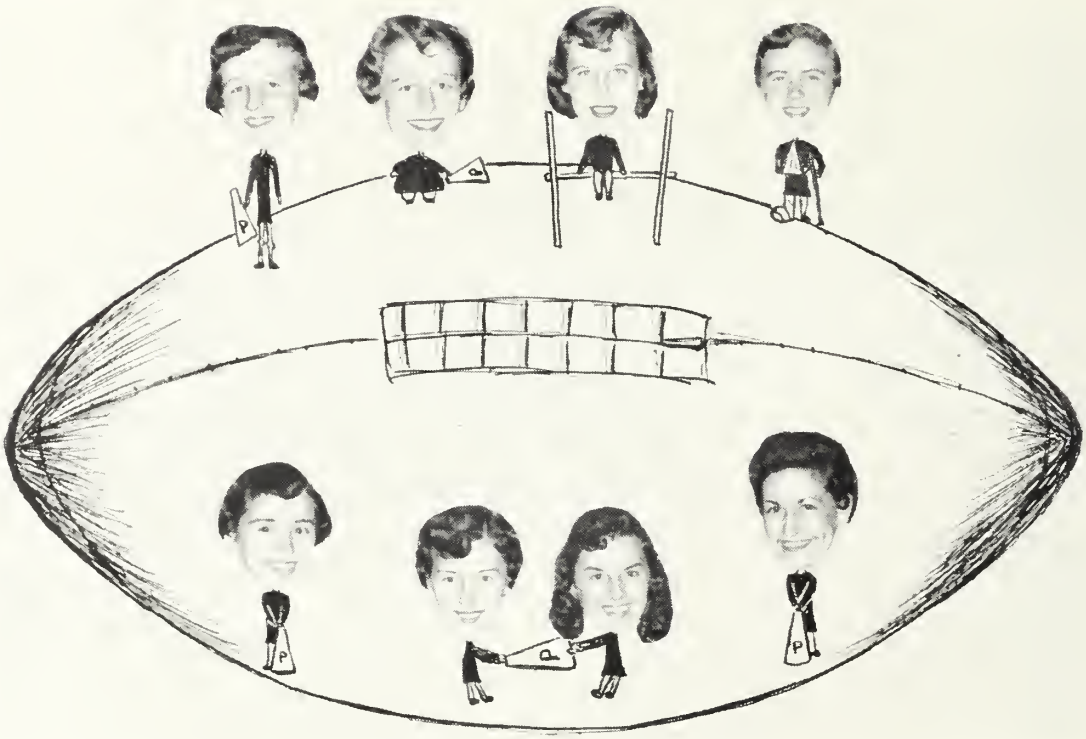
Robert McCarthy

Led by Captain Burt Remis, the P.H.S. Golf team is expected to be a leading contender for the North Shore Golf League championship. Enjoying a banner year last spring, Remis will attempt to keep the glory of P.H.S.'s golfdom alive. Aiding Remis will be Junior standout Ken Johnson, and Seniors Pete O'Shea and Leo McCaffrey.

Making their last rounds "on the links" for the Blue and White are: Captain Burton Remis, Roger O'Shea, and Leo McCaffrey.

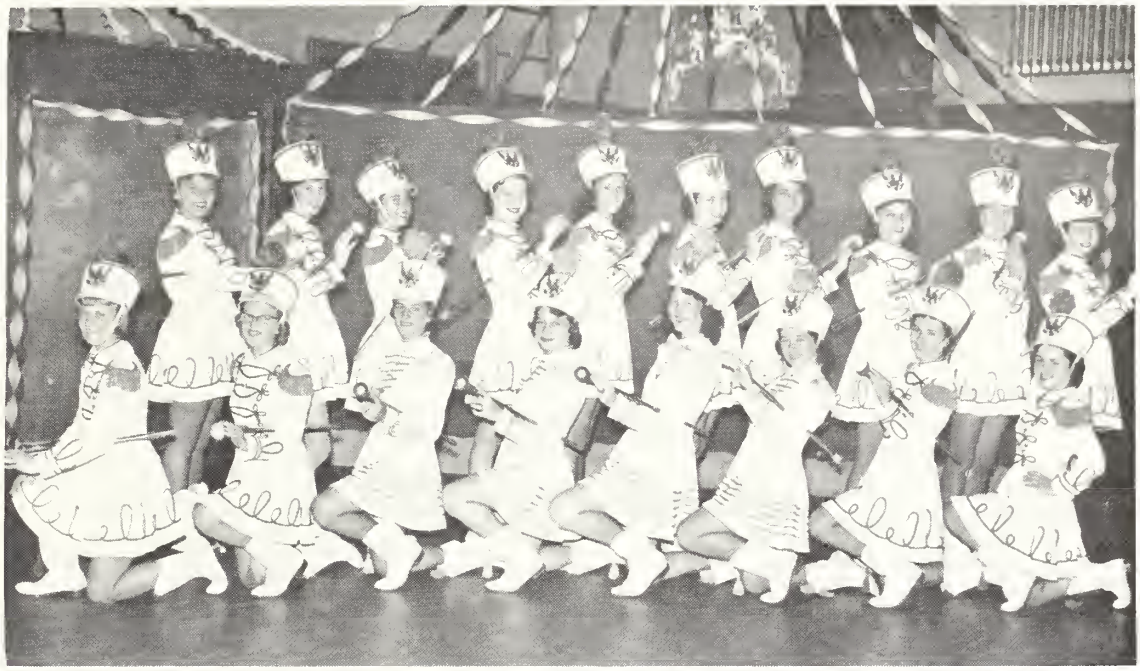
OUR CHEERLEADERS

Under the able guidance of Miss McNamara, the cheering squad of 1955 shouted its way to a thrilling, successful year and very nearly into national prominence. Braving the nervousness of their first appearance at the cheering assemblies and the freezing rain and snow of the Thanksgiving Day game, the cheerleaders endeared themselves to the students and faculty with their loyalty, pride and unselfishness.



One of the greatest honors ever to fall on such a group was bestowed on our cheerleaders, when the editors of Time Magazine suggested that their photographs, representing the epitome of happy American youth, adorn the cover of that national magazine.

Upon laying down their megaphones for the final time, the cheerleaders of '55 may well be proud of the banners of spirit and goodwill that they bore for the Blue and White of Peabody High.



BATON SQUAD

Kneeling: left to right: Elaine D'Entremont, Judy Foss, Helen Soboczinski, Maria Regis, Patricia Levesque, Barbara Greehy, Althea Maistrellis, Marie Marchesini. Standing: Jean Glenn, Sally Vernon, Judy Ellison, Marilyn Finnegan, Janice Levesque, Mary Walsh, Lorralie LeBlanc, Frances Guzowski, Patricia Walsh, Mary Alice Sullivan.

In Appreciation

On behalf of the Graduating Class of 1955, the editors of this Meta wish to express our sincere gratitude to those people who have made our high school life one of the best lived and best loved periods of our lives.

To Mr. Arthur J. Barry, our Principal, and Mr. Timothy F. McCarthy, our Vice-Principal, we heartily extend our sincere gratefulness for their continued efforts to mold us into capable American citizens.

To Mr. William A. Welch, Superintendent of Schools and Mr. Henry Higgins, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, we shall always be indebted for their never failing efforts in providing for us the necessities of a proper high school education.

To our teachers, whose patience and guidance has well prepared us to "meet the future", a manifestation of our greatest thanks would not at this moment suffice. Our future happiness and success will be our greatest acknowledgment of gratitude to them.

To Miss Marie Coyle, adviser to the Class of '55, we shall always be obligated for her willing guidance and sincere friendship.

To Miss Mary Luz, financial adviser of our class, for her steadfast guiding hand in our monetary matters, we are greatly indebted.

To Mrs. Eva L. Haines, whose artistic touch has made our social affairs scenes of beauty and whose valuable advice has greatly aided us in the presentation of this Meta, we are extremely thankful.

To Mr. Arthur V. Johnson, without whom the success of this Meta and that of our Observer would have been unattainable, we wholeheartedly extend our thanks for his patience, guidance and long hours of effort in our behalf.

To Mrs. Ruth Conley, the Class of 1955 is extremely thankful for her extraordinary efforts in directing our Senior Revue, and, of course, for her gentle patience and aid as Office Secretary. We are also very grateful to Mrs. Jennie Zavadsky who has always been so willing to aid us in our efforts.

To our advertisers and friends, who, by their kindness and generosity, have made a year book possible, we are indeed grateful.

In conclusion, we reverently thank Almighty God for making it possible for the Class of 1955, to live together as free, happy youth in his land, — the land of the free.

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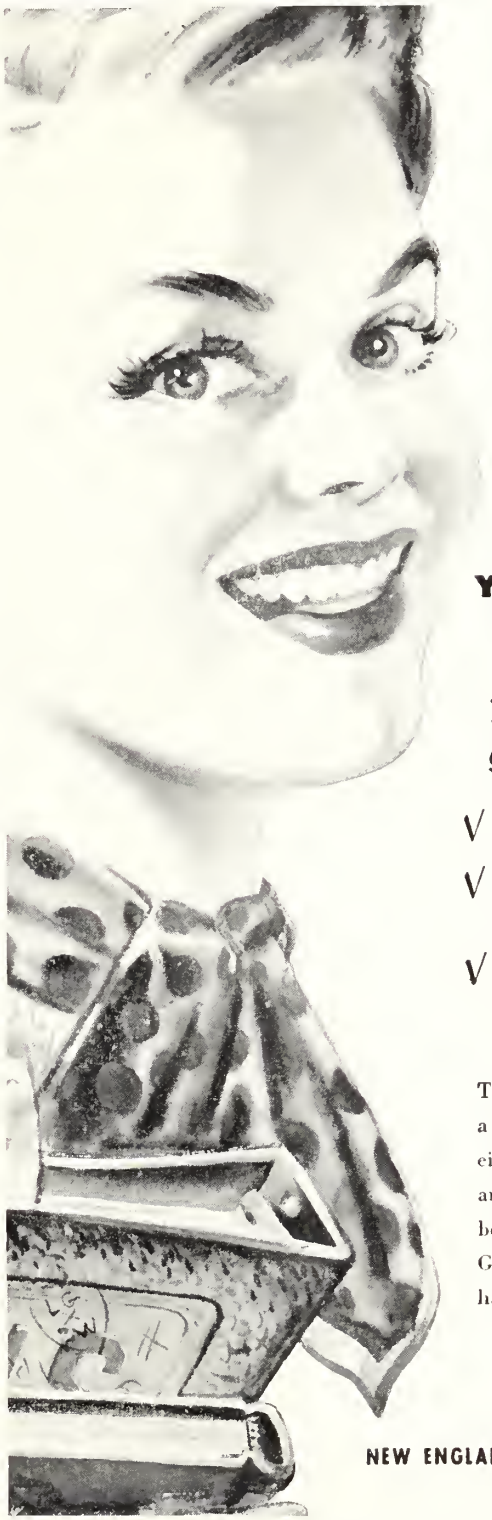

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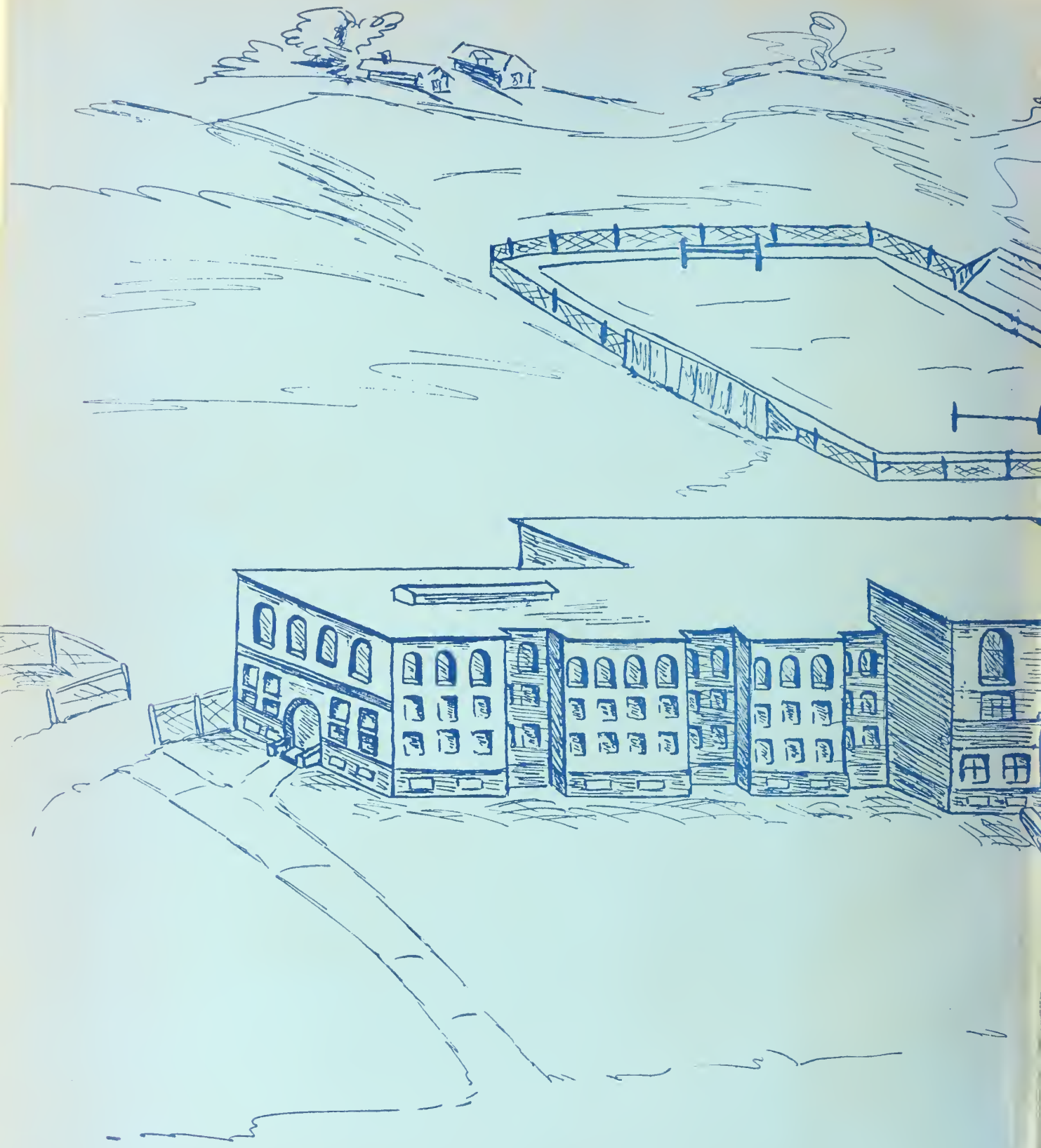

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